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The President has delivered his message to Congress.

We now deliver a more interesting message to the public.

Bargains in the Flannel Department—
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Heavy 9-4 Unbleached Sheeting.
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at 59 Cents-Lot Ladies' Corsets, good qualities and shapes, all long, waisted and full boned, with double

At 62 Cents-Lot French Woven Corsets, in sizes 23, 24 and 25 only, side steels, escolloped top, hand embroidered bust, splendid shape;

At 10 Cents-Taylor's Folding Twin Wire Bustles; regular price, 45c; Cut to 10c

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At 15 Cents-Shetland Floss Fascinators, good quality, all colors; were 25c Reduced to 15c

At 18 Cents-Infants' hand-crocheted Zephyr Hoods, in red, white, pink and blue; were 25c. Sacrificed at 18c

At 17 Cents—Baby's Knit Zephyr Shirts, high neck and long sleeves, all sizes; were 25c..Friday Price, 17c

Children's Plush Caps

(Second Floor.) At 50 Cents—Lot Silk-Plush Turbans, wide bows and wide ties; were \$1.00On Friday at 50c

At 53 Cents—Fine quality Velvet Tam O'Shanters, satin lined, dark col-ors; were 85c......Take 'Em at 53c At 79 Cents—Silk - Plush Steamer Caps, satin lined, in cardinal, sap-

phire and old gold; were \$1.00; Friday Price, 796

RIBBONS

At 22 1-2 Cents—FancySilk Sash Rib-bons, 6, 7 and 8 inches wide, all light colors; worth 65c; On Friday at 22 1-2c a yard

At 5 Cents-Fancy Silk Ribbons, No.

A Large Accumulation of Ribbons and Sash Remnants to Be Sold at Much Less Than Regu-

THIRD FLOOR.

At 10 Cents-Imitation Silk Drapery, yard wide, all leading colors. regular price 15c...On Friday at 10c a yard At 5 Cents-Small quantity Ecru Curtain Scrim, in beautiful lace patterns; former price 8%c,

Price Cut to 5c a yard

At 19 Cents—Polished Wood Curtain Poles, 5 feet long, in ebony, cherry and walnut finish, brass trimmings, all complete; were 25c Down to 19c At \$3.50—One lot extra heavy French Lace Curtains, 3½ yards long, tape-bound edges, floral patterns; regular price, \$4.95, Friday Price, \$3.50 a pair

At 90 Cents—Nottingham Lace Curtains, 3% yards long, taped edges, regular price, \$1.39.....Will go at 90c a pair At \$1.39—Felt Mantel Lambrequins, 90 inches long, plush top, embroidered and appliqued, lined and ready for use; former price, \$1.75, Cut down to \$1.39

BLANKETS & QUILTS THIRD FLOOR.

At 97 Cents—Extra large size real white Marseilles Quilts; regular price, \$1.25, Cut to 97c for Friday

At \$1.72—10x4 gray wool Blankets, western made, good soft quality: regular price, \$2.50......On Friday at \$1.72

SPECIAL SALE -OF-

PLUSH LAP ROBES STILL CONTINUES. THIRD FLOOR.

Strictly first-class goods, no seconds, at the following low prices, which are much less than they were ever sold before at

At \$1.48—Reversible Plush Lap Robes, plush on both sides, bound all round, and largest size, regular price \$2 each, at \$1.48 for this lot.

At \$2.53—Double Plush Lap Robes, good quality, large size, one side maroon color, the other black; regular price, \$3.25, at \$2.58 for this lot.

At \$3.19—Heavy Double Plush Lap Robes, black plush one side, animal and fancy plush on the other; regular price, \$4, at \$3.19 for this lot.

At \$3.65—Fine Heavy Double Plush Lap Robes, rich colors and patterns, full size; regular price, \$4.50, at \$3.65 for At \$3.98—Extra Quality Double Plush
Lap Robes, splendid colors and patterns; regular price, \$5, at \$3.98 for
this lot.

At \$4.91—Extra Super Quality Plush Lap Robes, latest styles, richest color-ings, largest size; regular price, \$6.25, at \$4.91 for this lot.

86.28—Extra Super Double Plush Lap Robes, richest colorings and patterns on both sides, largest size; regular price, \$7.50, at \$6.28 for this lot. At \$4.68—Extra Heavy English Plush Lap Robes, myrtle green on one side, black on the other, very stylish; regu-lar price, \$5.75, at \$4.68 for this lot.

At 20 Cents—Children's French ribbed cotton Hose, odd sizes, solid black; were 28 and 34c. On Friday at 20c

At 33 1-3 Cents—Children's all-wool Hose, bicycle-ribbed, solid black, double heels and toes, sizes 5½ to 8½; former prices, 40 to 50c, Come Down to 33 1-3c a pair

to 25. Any Size on Friday at 15c Pair to 25. Any Size on Friday at 15c Pair

At 17 Cents—Boys' heavy-weight,
French ribbed cotton Hose, odd
sizes, black and solid colors; were
23 to 320......To-Morrow at 17c Pair
SPECIAL—Misses' Imported 1x1 ribbed
French Cashmere Hose, extra long
and elastic, double heels and toes, at

these special Friday prices; Sizes..... 6, 6%, 7, 7%, 8, 8%. Prices 40c, 48c, 46c, 49c, 52c, 55c

FUR MUFFS.

At \$1.95—Lot Fur Luffs, satin-lined, worth up to \$3.75. To-Morrow at \$1.95 each

At \$1.19—Light natural arctic Fur Muffs, satin-lined, regular \$1.75 muffs......On Friday at \$1.19

FANCY DRESS BUTTONS.

15 Cents—Small and large size fancy dress Button; were 20 and 25c Friday's price, 15c doz

TRIMMINGS.

At 25 Cents—Fine jet pendants; were 45c.......Will go at 25c each At 35 Cents—Black silk and jet pas-sementerie, regular prices 50 and 98c..........Down to 35c a yard

At 5 Cents—35 doz. ladies' white hem-stitched and reversed Handker-chiefs, sheer quality; were 7%c. Cut to 5c

29 Cents—Lot men's white unhemmed China Silk Handkerchiefs, equal in quality to any 65c handkerchief in stock...... Bargain at 29c

CHILDREN'S HOSIERY MUSLIN UNDERWEAR

At 9 Cents—Children's Muslin Draw-ers, good quality (small sizes only), hem and tucks; regular price 15c. Will close at 9 At 49 Cents—Infants' fine cambric long slips, square yoke of 50 fine tucks and trimmed with cambric

ruffle; regular price 75c.
On Friday at 49c

At 59 Cents—Lot Ladies' Muslin Skirts (somewhat soiled), best quality, yoke bands, two tucked cambric ruffles with tucks above, made full and wide; were \$1.

A prize at 59c

ART NEEDLEWORK.

Special Sale of Perferated Felt Goods At 7 1-2 Cents—8x8-inoh Felt Mats, stamped and perforated; were 20c. On Friday at 7 1-2e

At \$1.19—Stamped and perforated
Felt Scarfs. plush inlaid; were
\$2.10 and \$2.75....Sacrificed for \$1.19 with handles; were 5c.

At \$1.47—Felt Lambrequins, stamped and perforated, 2% yards long; were \$2.25 and \$2.75. Will close at \$1.47 All of the above are in a good variety of

Ladies' Pure Silk Mittens Reduced from \$1.00 to 750 At 75 Cents—A lot of Ladles' Pure Silk Mittens, solid black, very fine quality, plain hands, fancy ribbed tops; were \$1.00. Reduced to 75c pair

KID CLOVES.

Down to 35 Cents—A lot of Biarritz Kid Gloves; were \$1.00 a pair. Reduced to 35c Down to 49 Cents—A lot of good quality 4-button Suede Gloves, sizes 64, 64, 64 and 7; were 750. Reduced to 49c

CENTS' CLOVES.

We will place on sale to-morrow a manufacturer's sample line of GENTS' GLOVES at about 75 cents on the dollar, all new goods, all styles, Kid, Dog and Buck and both lined and unlined, plain and fur tops. This is a good chance to get a pair of gloves cheap. GENTS' CHEVIOT SHIBTS.

Down to 49 Cents—Men's Heavy Blue Cheviot Shirts; were 75c. Reduced to 49

At 15 cents-Box fine quality Cream Note Paper and Envelopes, two kinds, sold everywhere at 25c.

Special for Friday at 15c Box At 3 cents-Bottle Machine Oil, reguular price 5c..... Down to 3c Bottle At 25 cents-Lot White Florence Hand Mirrors, some slightly imperfect; worth 65c...Will Close at 25c At 10 cents-Bixby's Royal Shoe Pol-

ish; regular price, 15c. To go at 10c Bottle At 10 cents-Odd lot Purses; worth



At 39c-Ooze Leather lined; worth

On Friday, 39 At 15c-Plush and Brass Match Safes; regular price 25c.

A Bargain, 15c Ilm ported Curling Irons were 20c. At Se to Clos At 2 for 5c-Enameled egg-shape

Will go for 2 for 5c At 2 cents-Nickel Nut Picks; were Reduced to Sc Each At 35 cents-Lace pins, assorted set-

At 25 cents-Job lot Men's Gold Plate

Cuff Buttons, with or without stone settings; were 50c.

To-Morrow at 25c Pair t 2 for 5 cents—Metal Hair Pins, in silver and gilt; were 10c each.

Down to 2 for 5c

tings; were 50c On Friday at 35c

At 75 cents—Silk Plush Photo Albums, with embossed satin appliqued flower ornament; were \$1.

Friday Price, 75c

TOILET ARTICLES.

At 25 cents—Opaline Face Wash; was 50c......On Friday at 25c Bottle

LADIES' UNDERWEAR.

Special Reductions for Friday's Sale. Down to 50 cents-Ladies' all-wool Scarlet Medicated Vests; were 75 cents......Reduced to 50e Down to 29 cents-Ladies' heavy white Merino Vests and Pants: worth 50c On Friday at 29c Down to 69 cents-Ladies' sanitary

natural wool Vests and Pants; were 85c.....Reduced to 69c

Down to 67 cents-Ladies' ribbed Merino Pants, full sizes and well cut; were 85c.Reduced to 67e Down to 75c-Ladies' sanitary Natural Wool Ribbed Vests, high neck and long sleeves; were \$1.00.

On Friday at 75e CHILDREN'S UNDERWEAR. Down to 15 cents-Children's all-

wool scarlet Medicated Vests, size 16 only Reduced to 15c CENTS' UNDERWEAR.

Unheard of reductions to close out lots will be the order of the day for to-morrow's Great Remnant Sale. Down to 87c-A lot gents' fancy striped Wool Shirts and Drawers;

Shirts and Drawers, heavy weight and good quality; worth 50c.

Friday Price 35e BOYS' UNDERWEAR. Down to 69c—Boys' all-wool Camels' Hair Shirts and Drawers, broken

sizes; regular price 90c to \$1.25.

BOYS' FLANNEL SHIRTS. Down to 50c-A small lot of boys' White Flannel Shirts; were \$1.75.

Down to 50e FINE DRAPERY GAUZES

We will close out on Friday the balance of those elegant Silk Mousseline de Sois Draperies at less than 250 on the dollar

AT LACE DEPARTMENT-From \$8.00 to 95c Yard,

From \$6.00 to \$1.50 Yard, From \$8.50 to \$1.95 Yard. These are the finest imported novelties for evening wear and are offered at these extremely low prices, on account of being slightly soiled at our Exposition Display.

-50 doz. dark plaid Cashmere Mufflers; good styles; this season's importation; regular 750 goods. At 46c at 89c—63 doz. cream Brocaded Silk Mufflers, full size and good heavy quality; worth \$1.25.... Will go at 89c \$1.58—25 doz. cream Brocaded Pure Silk Mufflers, fine quality and choice patterns; well worth

\$2.50. Friday at \$1.58

THE GREAT WORLD'S FAIR OF BARGAINS



This magnificent Chamber Set of best "Avalon" China, with grapes and leaves, beautifully painted in either violet, pink, blue and olive green, and each leaf inlaid with gold and gold trimmings on edges and handles; price, complete with jar as shown in cut, only......\$7.45 set

Same set without jar, only......\$5.00 set Our prettily decorated English Chamber Set, in either pink, blue or brown; price, complete with jar, only.....\$4.00 Same set without the jar, only.....\$2.40 Our elegant decorated Staffordshire Chamber Set, in either brown, blue or pink; price, complete, large size, with slop

jar, only.....\$4.50 Our fine Fire Polished Imitation Cut Rose Bowls, only49c Our fine Fire Polished Imitation Cut Fruit Bowls,......40c each Our fine Fire Polished Imitation Cut Sauce Dishes\$1.00 dozen Our fine Fire Polished Imitation Cut Water Bottles 49c each Our fine Fire Polished Imitation Cut Half-Gallon Pitchers...75c each Our fine Fire Polished Imitation Cut Sugar Bowls......35c each Our fine Fire Polished Imitation Cut Covered Butters......35c each Our fine Fire Polished Imitation Cut Cream Pitcher......20c each Our fine Fire Polished Imitation Cut Spoon Holder......15c each Our fine Fire Polished Imitation Cut Jelly Dish......15c each Our fine Fire Polished Imitation Cut Vinegar Bottle 35c each

You can safely order any of the above goods, they are the best value for the money we ever saw. All goods will be packed and no danger of breakage.

MONEY MUST ACCOMPANY ALL ORDERS.



The above cut represents our elegant ECYPTIAN SHAPE DINNER SET,

Entirely new, with beautiful Hare Bell underglaze Decoration, gilt knobs, and handles, 140 pieces, worth \$40;

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Our very pretty English decorated Tea Sets of 56 pieces, decorated

We Beat the World on Dinner Sets.

The Celebrated

Central draught, con-ceded by all to

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Will give more light than five. German student lamps and every lamp warranted.

Complete with 10-in. white shade, only .. \$3 With handsome hand-

Rogers' Magnolia Pattern, embossed painted bisque shade

had, only\$3.00 oxidized silver. \$1.60 2.50

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Rogers' Athens Pattern, beautifully engraved.

Rogers' Sugar Shell We want you to understand that, though the prices seem marvelously low on the above goods, they are all genuine goods of the best quality of Rogers' make. If you are not satisfied with the goods after seeing them, you can return them and we will refund

Rogers' Soup Ladles...... 1.85

Best STEEL CUTLERY

Rosewood Handle Knives and Forks, per set	60c
Steel Capped Handle Knives and Forks, per set	98c
White Bone Riveted Handle Knives and Forks, per set	\$1.05
Ebony Handle Knives and Forks, per set	\$1.39
Fine Celluloid Handle Dessert Knives, per set	\$1.59
Fine Celluloid Handle Dinner Knives, per set	\$1.89
Ebony Handle Carver and Fork, per pair	\$1.00
Rogers' Celebrated Buck Carver and Fork, per pair	\$1.50
Genuine Sheffield Butcher's Knife, only	25c
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GLASS CU.---Broadway and St. Charles St.---MILLER & STEPHENSUN CHINA and GLA LEADERS OF LOW PRICES AND LARCEST RETAILERS OF CHINA AND CLASS IN AMERICA.

DAUGHTERS OF THE QUEEN. A Gathering To-Day to Organize a New

Charitable Society. This afternoon at 3 o'clock at St. John' Library, adjoining St. John's Church on Sixteenth and Chestnut streets, a very large meeting of the prominent Catholic clergymen and ladies of the different parishe throughout the city was held to inaugurate throughout the city was held to inaugurate fully a new society called "The Daughters of the Queen." This association is the outgrowth of the Immaculate Conception Society on Eighth and Marion streets. Besides the Home, which is still in existence, there were three branches, one in the Annunciation parish, another in St. John's parish, and still another in that of St. Francis Xavier. This society was for the object or obtaining employment for poor and friendless girls and to furnish a place where poor saleswomen could have a home of safety and comfort for a nominal price. Altogether

depict of obtaining employments for poor and friendless girls and to furnish a place where poor saleswomen could have a home of safety and comfort for a nominal price. Altogether the association contained 600 members, but the ladies of this society destred still further to extend their charitable enterprises, and under the advice of the Vicar-General, Father Brady, a new society was decided upon to be called the Daughters of the Queen. The object of this will be to obtain the higher grades of employments distanted to them and to institute a training school for girls and to have them educated in type-writing, stenography or any avocation suitable to their tastes or igclinations. No decided plans are yet developed, but maturer ones will be adopted at to-day's meeting. Each of the members will wear a Maltese cross of gold with the letters "A. M. D. G." engraved on surface. The only arrangement yet perfected is that the different branches of the association in the various parishes will once a month co-operate in meeting the main body at St. John's. Among the clergy present to day were the Vicar General, Father Philip Brady, Rev. Fathers Head of the Annunciation, Edward J. Sheao of St. Kevins, Father Bronageeist and Gleason of the St. Louis University, the latter the President; Father Bronageeist and Gleason of the St. Louis University, the latter the President; Fathers Bond and Neithart of the Redemptorist order, and among the ladies Meadames Cleavelland, Dunn. Misses Mary Chassaing, Freel and, Dunn. Misses Mary Chassaing, Hoxie, Waterman, Berthold and others.

WHAT makes Cleveland so stout? Flap Jack cakes, there is no doubt.

The Western Stove Works, Ninth and Dock streets, has shut down operations. Mr. James E. Barnes, editor of the St. Louis

Within the course of the next month the okwell Co. of this city will decide whether ay will remove their they will remove their plant from Lawrens-burg, Ind., to St. Louis or increase its output and leave it there.

The Jefferson flour mills on North Market streets, which have been shut down a month to put in new machinery, etc., will open up next Monday and for the present will only run half time. All of the fleur mills are now operating on half time.

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Thos. J. Whitman is completing the plans and specifications for the river connections for the condensing pit of the 3,000-horse power steam plant which will drive the Laclede Gas-Light Co.'s new electric plant. From the St. Louis plant a tunnel will be run through solid under three buildings and the allroad track to the river, a distance of 500 set. The tunnel will contain the suction and lisoharce pipes. Over 4,500.000 gailons of rge pipes. Over 4,500,000 gallons of sing water will be cared for daily.

Iron Safe Worth \$100 for \$50. INGALLS, 1108 Olive.

Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

person of Estella Plummer, aged 7 years. He was arraigned before Esquire Rosenberry and waived examination and was bound over for his appearance at the Piatt County Circuit Court in a bond of \$1,500.

Volapuk in eight lessons. The FOR POST-DISPATCH. You get the 40 matter of the SUNDAY POST-DIS-PATCH for 5 cents. Don't miss this chance!

WEST VIRGINIA MINERAL LANDS. Decision in a Suit at Law Involving the Title to a 480,000-Acre Tract.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATOR. PARKERSBURG, W. Va., Dec. 5 .- The case of Marie Hoyt of New York City vs. W. B. Mc-Ciure, Commissioner of School Lands of Wyoming County, and U. B. Buskirk, Commis-

sioner of School Lands of Logan County, involving the title to the 480,000-acre Robert Morris tract of land, lying in the counties of Wyoming, McDowell and Logan, instituted in the United States Circuit Court for the State last January, and which has heretofore attracted much attention all over the United States, has justified accided by Judge John J. Jackson at this place.

In 1885 Col. Jesse R. Irwin, formerly of New Orleans, but now of Oceans, this State, former owner of the tract, purchased it under proceedings had in the Gircuit Court of Wyoming County at the School Commissioner's sale, taking immediate possession and placing tenants thereon. In 1888, after this land, which had formerly been regarded as of little value, had become exceedingly valuable by means of the developments in the southern end of the State, until as shown by the proceedings it is now worth \$5 per acre, \$2,500,000, the school commissioners under took to resell portions of the land, ostensibly for the State, and this suit was brought setting out Mrs. Hoyt's interest and title under Col. Irwin, and in connection with the said Irwin and C. F. Thomas of Wilmington, Del., her co-owners, asking an order of injunction to prohibit the school commissioners from reporting the lands for sale.

The defendants resisted the injunction, denied Irwin's title and denied that any of the land was located in Logan County. Proof was taken on both questions. The case was elaborately argued by the leading attorneys of the United States Court. The court decided for the plaintiff, awarded the order of injunction prayed for in her bill against both of the School Commissioners, holding Irwin's purchase and most valuable tracts of timber and coal lands in the United States.

A Cough, Cold or Sore Throatshould not be

A Cough, Cold or Sore Throat should not be neglected. BROWN'S BRONCHIAL TROCHES are a simple remedy, and give prompt relief; 25 cts. a box.

There was an exceptionally light docket today in the Second District police court, but there was one heavy fine, \$50 for disturbing there was one heavy fine, \$50 for disturbing the peace. It was assessed against Andrew Condon, a young gentleman who was prosecuted by his father, Andrew Condon, Sr. Young Condon has been in the habit, while laboring under the influence of the whisky trust, of going home and raising trouble with his father's family. Yesterday he was arrested by Officer Spoenhemann and this morning he was fined. As he is generally of a quiet disposition except when he is drinking Judge Anderson stayed execution on promise of good behavior.

St. Joseph Distilling House Assigns.

St. Joseph, Mo., Dec. 5.-The A. Furst Distilling Co. made an assignment last night to its book-keeper, Fred Holnkaul. The MONTICELLO, Ill., Dec. 8.—Robert McKee, principal creditors of the company are wholesaged 70, of Mansfield, this equaty, was artested to day, charged with an assault on the Louis and Kaneas Olty.

Miss Kate Dewey, who visited Mrs. A. Mackay, returned to her home in Keytesville Saturday. Mrs. T. Hogan, who spent a couple of weeks here with friends, returned to her home in Carlyle on Monday.

Miss Cora Cook of Chestnut street leaves on Saturday to make a visit of two weeks to friends at Little Rock, Ark. Mrs. Albert M. Eddy has cards out for a reception Thursday, December 5, 3 to 5, at her home, 2816 Morgan street. Mrs. Walter Cundall's card is enclosed.

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Mr. Henry Schubkegel and Miss Amelia Ossosky were married at the residence of the bride's parents, 825 South Eighth street, at 5 o'clock last evening, Rev. Nollau of the St. Marcus Church officiating.

Miss Mabel Beers of 1110 North Channing avenue, who left the city accompanied by her friend, Miss Stern of Indianapolis, to attend the Thanksgiving ball at Alton, will, return to the city December 11.

Mr. and Mr. George Martin gave a dinner to

Mr. and Mr. George Martin gave a dinner to her brother, Mr. James Waters, and his bride from Galveston, Tex. The tables was decor-ated beautifully with violets in honor of the bride, whose first name is Violet. Master Eugene A. Denman and Dell Plant, age 12 and 13, respectively, celebrate their birthdays with a candy-pulling match and party this evening at the home of the parents of Dell Plant, with all their little friends to participate in the festivities.

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The Good Time P. E. was entertained Monday evening by Mrs. Bartley. The first ladies' prize, handsome lace nand-kerchief, won by Miss Minnie Wands; second prize, hand painted satin scarf, awarded to Mrs. Bartley.

First prize for gentlemen, a pair of black sath suspenders, elegantly embroidered in chemille, was won by Mr. Fitzpatrick, and second prize, a black satin handkerchief embroidered in silk, was won by Mr. Gilbert. The next meeting will be at Miss Clara Hauk's.

Hank's.

Miss Sarah Keegan entertained the South Side La Tosca Circle at her home on St. Ange avenue last evening. The members present were Misses Lizzie Elieke, Mille Kreuzer, B. Morrison and Nellie Dowling, Messrs. W. L. Tomkins, Al. J. Doughty, Will Bollam, Geo. Doughty and C. V. Kreuzer. They are arranging for a party to be given in the near future.

future.

The Self Improvement Musicale met at Miss Clara Hauk's, 12745 Lucas avenue on Monday. Subjects, Nessler Norcomb and Nicolai. The programme was unusually fine: Concert Polka, Bartlett; Bolego, vocal solo, Gounod; Nocturne, in diat major, Chopin; Cavatina, vocal solo, Bellini; alto solo, 'On the Sea,' Selmbert; March Polonaise, Nicolai; Mezzo soprano solo, Anchored; short essay on 'Music and Life of Nicolai' was read. The next meeting of the Self Improvement Musical will be held at Mrs. Theodore Shelton's, on Pine Street.

return the middle of the month and will thereafter reside in this city. The presents to the bride were very many and handsome, but according to Kentucky usage were not dis-played.

Miss Adeline Duhring has returned from Carrollton.

Miss Fannie Gardiner left Saturday to visit Miss Ruff at Lebanon.

Miss Ruff at Lebanon.

Mrs. Theodore Shelton of Pine street is entertaining her cousin from Kentucky.

Mrs. L. Little left for Troy, where she will visit friends, remaining until after the holidays.

Mrs. Georgie Inman of Olive street is entertaining her cousin, Miss Carrie Ritchie of Pine Bluff.

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Teturn the middle of the month and will the presents to the bride were very many and handsome, but the bride were not dispanded by the bar bardson and Leorard and seleveless; and Miss Sanderson were a plank and seleveless, and Miss Sanderson were a plank and seleval sandsisted in receiving the short waist.

A surprise party was g

several songs stannie Hemp daneing the Highland fling in a style that would make a Scot wild with envy. Miss Fanny Barter played the harp and Miss Emma Ward sang "Do Not Forges Me." The dancing continued till an early hour this morning. Those present were: W. Schultz, Ed Wolff, F. Girken, J. W. Jones, T. Cavanaugh, N. Barter, H. Wells, Al Walsh, M. McCabe, E. F. Neubon, F. M. Plisher, R. Moore, F. H. Wobber, H. Sanders, H. Courad, M. McKinlon, C. J. Mack, N. J. Quan, J. Webber, Aggle Edgar, Annie Edgar, May Walsh, Fannie Baker, Sophle Baker, Neille Cavanaugh, Maggle Cavanaugh, Genevieve La Barge, Amanda La Barge, Emma Gockel, Annie Weber, Miss Plisher, Miss Lingo, Miss Thomas, Mary McCarthy, Emma Warde, May Riley, Maggle Abearn, Neille Kinsella, Stannie Hemp, Dodie Quinlan, Miss Neuman, Carrie Costagan, Lulu Costagan, May Stautin, Josie Wells, Dollie Eggar.

MRS. GEORGE TAYLON'S RECEPTION.
One of the prettiest receptions of the season was given yesterday afternoon by Mrs. George Taylor of Washington avenue, introducing her handsome young daughter, Miss Annie Taylor, to the fashionable world. It was the first occasion upon which Mrs. Taylor's artistic new home had been thrown open to her friends, and with the fireplace of the wide Queen Anne hall there was a blazing wood fire, and upon the high, old-fashioned wood mantel-pleec there was a bank of ferns; luxuriant palms were grouped in the hall and ornamented the handsome stairway. In the dining-room the mantelpleec and sideboard were banked with fern, and Beers served a delightful repast from a beautifully appointed table, where all of the decorations were pink, harmonizing with the pink-tinted walls. The hostess was assisted in the reception of her guests by Miss Taylor, Miss Conway of Arkansas and miss Mase Lindsley Mrs. Taylor wore a distingue toliette of silver gray Ohene eilk, embroidered with black Chantilly lace with point lace and diamonds at the throat. Miss Taylor wore a youthful pretty gown of white silver threaded gauze, decollete and sleeveless, and

Nocturne, in d flat major, Chopin; Cavatina, vocal solo, Bellini; alto solo, "On the Sea," vocal solo, Tarch Polonaise, Nicolai! Was read. The must meeting of the Self Improvement Muscard History on Pine street.

On Thanksgiving Day, November 28, Mr. Thomas P. Hornsby of this city, son of Mr. D. C. Hornsby, was married to Miss Jesse Browning, at Mayfield, Graves County, ky. The event was made the occasion of a general reunion of the Kestucky branches of the bride's family, and beside a large gathering of relatives, including the bride's brother, Mr. Boss G. Browning, of Memphis, Tenn., there were present the family of the groom, Mr. D. C. Hornsby and two daughters, Missas Illie and Annie, and Dr. J. A. Hornsby, all of this place. After a most happy celebration of the South, intending to take in on the way Fulton, Ky. Memphis, Tenn., and New Orleans. They will probably

somely decorated and an orchestra in attendance, beguiled the hours with music. Mrs. Glasgow wore a lovely gown of heliotrope colored Ohina crepe, made with Empire bodice pointed over the shoulders, back and front, with short puffed sleeves, met by long gloves. Mrs. Dr. Powell wore black Lyons velvet en traine, with surplice corsage and garniture of fine point lace. The Misses Englesing, both wore dainty gowns of white silk and tulle, and carried roses. Among the guests were Mesdames Benjamin Kimball, George D. Barnard, Henry Neyer, John Bayle, Jos. Ewald, Philippine Overstoiz, Huch Fox, Sylvester, Block, Puegnet, Boeckler, J. L. Sylvester, D. S. Crosby, Christian Smith, Mortimer Taylor, Clay Plerce, Frovenchere, Wm. Day, Mrs. Judge Treat, Misses Marie Peugnet, Daisy Billon, Nettie Wherry, Jennie Anderson, Denise Ewald, Mimi Flanagan, Powell, Faddock, Berthold, Glasgow, Richards and others.

DR. ENNO SANDER'S tasteless Iron Wate strengthens your constitution and beautific your complexion. For sale by druggists ALTON, ILL.

Township Supervision-A Pastor's Return

The Town Board of Alton Township yester day appointed Capt. John K. Butler as Assistant Supervisor for this Township in the place of John Dow, who has removed to Kansa

Mrs. Thos. Gordon, wife of Rev. Dr. Gordon of Middletown, N. Y., who for several years was pastor of the First Presbyterian Church here, will return to her home this evening after a very pleasant visit among old friends in Alton and vioinity.

Messrs. W. M. Green, Vice-President, and J. Q. Van Winkle, Superintendent of the Bee Line, were here yesterday on official business and decided that new depots should be built at Henry and Washington streets.

Quite a number of improvements are to be made in the gymnasium and bath-rooms of the Y. M. C. A. here. W. W. Smith, the newly elected General Secretary, has entered upon the discharge of his duties, and the work of the association will, no doubt, receive a new impetus.

Mr. Henry Harroid and Miss Mary Jacoby were married last even ing at 50 clock in the German M. E. Church at Brighton. The happy couple will reside in Alton on Second street near Ridge. Mrs. Thos. Gordon, wife of Rev. Dr. Gor

THE Fair won't go in Central Park, But Flap Jack Flour toes the mark, New Warrants.

New warrants sworn out this morning charge Hattle Tate with grand larceny in steal ing a watch and Robert Kogel, John Downing, selling lottery tickets; Albert J. Finchman, traud in practicing a confidence game on Mrs. L. Mathews and in thus obtaining \$11.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria, When she became Miss, she clung to Cas When she had Children, she gave them Cast

GREAT SALE DRY GOODS CO.

Our elegant solid brass Hanging Lamps, with 14-inch white shade,

burner and chimney,

Our splendld solid brass
Hanging Lamp, complete with lovely ruby
dome shade, cut glass

prisms, burner and

chimney, only \$4.25
Our Peerless Hall Lamp,
with pretty ruby or
crystal engraved globe,
the best value we ever

3.20

complete \$1.89

HOLIDAY HANDKERCHIEFS At Special Prices

CONTINUES.

And should not be missed by rich or poor while the goods continue on sale

At Present Prices. We are offering the Best Value in LADIES', MEN'S and CHILDREN'S HANDKERCHIEFS.

from the Lowest to the Finest that has ever yet been placed on our counters. and that means

AS LOW AS THE GOODS HAVE EVER BEEN SOLD by any reliable, conscientlous establishment on the globe.

THE TIDE OF INTEREST AT

Wanamaker & Brown's.

OUR DOORS WILL SOON CLOSE.

Buy what's left for a mere song. \$16 Overcoats for \$10. \$12 Overcoats for \$8.50. \$30 Overcoats for \$20. \$8.50 Dress Pants, \$5. \$5 Stylish Pants, \$2.50. Boys' Suits, half price. Men's Underwear for half price. Store Open Every Night.

WANAMAKER & BROWN, Selling Out to Quit Business.

, 210 and 212 N. BROADWAY.

D. L. ANDERSON, Manager.

We Challenge

the Town to

Match Our Prices

CRAND MONEY-MAKING OCCASION FOR YOU!

To-Morrow, Friday, **OUR GREAT**

We guarantee if you trade at our Store To-Morrow you will save 25 to 50 per cent.



Odds and Ends

Broadway and Washington Av.

→ Come and See the MOST WONDERFUL TOY BAZAAR in St. Louis. A MILLION TOYS! Toys of Every Description Can be Seen! Bring the Children, that our Real, Live Santa Claus can Write Their Names in Ais Big Book on Hand Early to Secure some of those Extraordinary Bargains that we are Going to Give Away To-Morrow.

Full size Ladies' Carpet Seat Rocker,

Only 83c Ladies' Work Baskets on stand, Only 63d A full line of Paper or Waste Baskets, Work Baskets, Infant Baskets, Lunch Baskets, Work Stands, Wall Pockets and 10,000 more new and useful articles for Holiday presents.

A Boom in Our Apron Dept. Red Letter Special Attraction.

We will place on sale a large lot of Children's Aprons, made of cross brr muslin, with ever-lasting trimming and sash back; sold every-where at 35 and 50c. Friday We Will Sell Them:
Ages 2 to 6 years at 21c
Ages 8 to 12 years at 29c

FANCY NOTIONS. 24 Sheets Letter Paper and 24 Envelopes in fancy box, regularly sold at 18c:

Red Letter Price, 9c Box quality Sachet Powder, in fancy glassie, regularly sold at 30c; loth. Hat and Hair Brushes, formerly at 25 to 40c: Red Letter Price, 15c Each Fancy Glass Pitcher filled with two ounces of Handkerchief Perfumc, regularly sold at 35c;

Fancy Goods, 2d Floor. Let of Stamped Butcher Linen Spiashers, regularly sold at 15c: Red Letter Price, 7c Each

Lot of Fancy Cord, Tinsel and Chemille Mix-tures, beautiful colors, regularly sold at 15 to Red Letter Price, Sc Yard

A BIG HOTEL BURNS.

Complete Destruction of the Mon-

ongahela House at Pittsburg.

Two Hundred Guests and the Em-

ployes Escape in Safety.

Of the Building, Seven Stories in Height, Nothing but Blackened Walls Remain-

The Structure's History-The Most Im-

Kingston, Ontario-The Fire Record.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Dec. 5 .- The Monongahela

soon extended to the annex used as servants'

in the hotel, and all got out in safety. A num-

The entire department was called out and re-

fire was discovered, the flames were under

control, and nothing remained of the mag-

walls. As far as known there were no fatali-

but the guests and employes all got out

Among the miraculous escapes were those of D. C. Mason of New York, and N. Under-wood of Milwaukee. Mason was compelled

to come down from the fourth floor on rope

owned by Chas. J. Clarke, Florence G. Miller

Burned in Their Home.

CHICAGO, 111., Dec. 5 .- A Kensington (Ont.)

night. Their home took fire and while they

ere trying to extinguish the flames their teams of escape was cut off.

There were a number of narrow escapes

At 1:30 o'clock, less than two hours after the

quarters in the rear.

sponded quickly.

Red Letter Price, 15c Bottle

Red Letter Price, 18c Each

FURS.

Natural Opossum Muffs; regular price, \$1.85 each... Red Letter Price, \$1.00

UPHOLSTERY DEPARTMENT.

Special Price \$1.29 per Pair.
We will sell Nottingham Lace Curtains, 342

Blankets and Comfortables.

LINENS.

FLANNELS AND LININGS.

One case manufacturers' Remnants plain and fancy Silesias, lengths from 1 to 4 yards, slightly damaged...... Worth from 20 to 30 Great Clearing Sale of Millinery. AT 14C-Clearing all of our fine Birds, Breasts, Fancy Feathers, worth \$1

UNTRIMMED HATS.

RIBBONS.

we will sell Nottingham Lace Curtains, 342
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Fards long, all new designs.
Regular Price \$2,25 All our soiled Lace Curtains in one, two and three pair lots, all go at Half Price for Fri-day only.

Special Price Sc per Yard.

Remnants heavy Gray Flannel,
3 to 6 yards..... Only 10c per Yard.

AT 49°C-We will clear for Friday Only all of our fine French Felt Hats, some were \$2.25, \$2, \$1.50 and \$1.25. All so At 49c

YARD—Elegant Ribbons in fancy col-ors for Hollday use, worth 15c yard, At 6c Yard

SALE! + DOMESTIC DEPT. When You See EXTRA COTTON FLANNEL SALE **Our Prices** You Will Buy.

At 5c per yd. 5c a yd Remnants of Muslin Ticking, Sheeting, Shirall at usual half price.

DRESS GOODS. All Remnants of Dress Goods at Half the Regular Price.

also 36-inch Fine Checked Suiting in neat color-ings, worth 25c, At 15c per yd At 35c per yd

SILK DEPT. RED LETTER BARGAINS.

At 39c per yd At 50c per yd 75c per yd 59c per yd 50c per yd 50c per yd

Remnants, Satins, Silks, Plushes an Velvets at Positively Half Price. Broadway and

Washington Avenue.

ton and Newstead at \$43.50 for Mr. S. Quin

ton and Newstead at \$43.50 for Mr. S. Quin-ette of Bradley & Quinette to Mr. E. B. Hull. BUILDING ASSOCIATIONS.

The Stephen Girard, at its last meeting, loaned \$4,000 at 29 per cent to one of its mem-bers, who is going to expend the money in building at Gratiot. Mr. A. A. B. Woerdheide, who is Secretary of that association and the Giadstone also, says that the latter will hold a meeting and loan money this evening. BY COMPARISON. That's How Prince Harrison Shone Best Secretary Noble in a Waiter's Eyes. The head waiter at the Lindell Hotel plucked

this morning and put extra fire into the lightning of his glance at imperfect subordinates
as he proudly paraded the breakfast hall.
Leaning over the back of a regular boardor's chair he revealed the cause of the dignity
addition, as he whispered, "We've got a very
distinguished guest this morning."

"Indeed! Whom?"
The waiter drew a long breath and spoke
impressively the name of
"Russell Harrison."

"Where is he?" queried the boarder, all
curlosity to see the President's son.

"Over there at that side table in front of
Secretary Noble."
The secretary had just arrived. this morning and put extra fire into the light

New Cumberland Presbyterian Church. The Building Committee of the Cumberland resbyterian Church, presided over by the Rev. Dr. Black, held a meeting last evening to examine and approve of one of the to examine and approve of one of the sets of competitive plans submitted for their new edifice of worship, which is to be erected at the southwest corner of Lucas and Channing avenues. There was sufficient rivalry to make the decision quite interesting, but after a lengthy discussion of the various designs the plan was awarded to Mr. H. E. Roach, who was directed to have his details and specifications all completed, ready for accepting bids, within the next two weeks.

The building, it is estimated, will cost \$35, coo. It will cover an area of 38 feet front on Lucas avenue by a depth of 65 feet on Channing, and at the southwest corner of the structure there will be a square tower rising to the height of 115 feet above the pavement. The church chapel is now located upon the rear portion of the building lot.

The general order of architecture for the new structure is gothlo, the exterior walls to be of broken ashlar St. Louis limestone. In the auditorium there will be seats for about 600 persons.

All-wool Cloth Newmarkets, fold front, satin faced, ornaments on back, \$9.50; were \$15.00.

t These Prices!

THE COST PRICE NO OBJECT!

Broadway and Washington Avenue.

styles, \$5.50; were \$10.50.

\$6.50; were \$12.50.

\$7.50; were \$13.75.

were \$13.75.

ewmarkets.

Striped, all-wool Cloth Newmarkets, double breasted, assorted

All-wool Cloth Newmarkets, Jaccard and Oriental effects,

All-Wool Cloth Newmarkets, in stripes, plaids and solid colors,

All-wool Beaver Cloth Newmarkets, with triple cape, \$8.50;

Mean Business

One lot of Seal Plush Jackets satin-lined, reduced from \$9.50

Silk Seal Plush Modjeska, satinlined, trimmed with seal orna-

ments and seal balls all around; reduced from \$18.50 to \$12.50.

Silk Seal Plush English Top Coat, bell sleeve, elegant quality of satin lining; reduced from \$17.50 to \$12.50.

\$6.50

\t\$13.50 Silk Seal Plush Sacques, seal or-

naments, quilted satin lining; reduced from \$18.50 to \$13.50.

\t\$17 A Silk Seal Plush Sacque, seal ornaments, satin lining; reduced from \$25 to \$17.50.

from \$3.25 to

An all-wool Beaver double breasted Cloth Jacket, in black navy and tan; reduced from \$5.50 striped all-wool Newmarkets, with

\$3.75 years, \$5.85 for all ages; worth from \$8 to \$10.

The choice of over 275 fancy

new style cape, ages from 12 to 18

Misses' and Children's

The choice of over 500 Misses

Gretchen Cloaks, assorted styles

ages from 4 to 8 years; reduced

The choice of over 200 Misses

Stripe Cloth Newmarkets, ages

from 12 to 18 years, \$3.35 for all

ages; worth from \$6 to \$7.50.

from \$3 and \$4.50 to \$1.95.

BROS., FRANK

of the building lot.

The general order of architecture for the new structure is gothic, the exterior walls to be of broken ashlar St. Louis limestons. In the auditorium there will be seats for about 600 persons.

Then there are seperate apartments provided for a library, a pastor's room, dining room, a kitchen, a cloak room, and all the conveniences to be found in a first-class modern church. The cefling will be partially open; made of yellow pine timbers with Gothie ornamentations.

Capt. Frank Oakes of Cincinnati, O., aged 70 years, died at the Old Men's Home yesterday.

THE INTERSTATE LAW.

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Judge Thayer Overrules the Motion for a Knew Trial at Hannibal.

At Hannibal, Mo., yesterday, Judge Thayer commerce law. This is the first commerce law. This is the first own was might be called the motion of George K. Tozier for a new trial and assessed a fine of \$500. Tozier and transported to a point in Kansas, that he gave the Hayward Company to the provisions of the interstate commerce law. This is the first own was might be called the commerce law. This is the first own was a state of the Missouri Pacific at Hannibal to the same point in Kansas, that he gave the Hayward Company to the provisions of the interstate on the provisions of the interstat

given from Hannibal to the Kansas point in combination took away from the Hannibal hense the natural advantage it had over the Chicago shipper because of its nearness to the shipping point. The facts were admitted and the whole fight was made on the iaw. Judge Thayer has sustained the law all through. The defendant took thirty days to perfect his appeal. The fight will be carried to the Supreme Court.

"DON'T FORGET TO REMEMBER" The slaughter prices advertised by the retail merchants in this issue of the

414 and 416 NORTH BROADWAY,

The Largest and Only Regular Importers in St. Louis of

Don't buy your Christmas Presents until you have seen our immense assortment. We can save you 25 % to 50 %. Come and see the LARGEST STOCK of TOYS in America.

Bernard Dollar Store Comp'y

TRULY, A MARVELOUS REDUCTION

Hose, Vests, Undershirts

and Mufflers. At 7c Pair Friday only. A Bar-bleached Balbriggan Hose, extra long. At 7c At 18c Each Friday only. Reg-Ladies' heavy Baibriggan Jersey Ribbed Vests, no sleeves. Friday at 13c

At 75c Each Friday only; were \$1.50. Ladies' Cashmere Wool Jersey Ribbed Vests, all styles; silk finished; light blue only.

Come Early

At 69c Each Were \$1.25. wool medicated, Double Front and Back; Undershirts large size... Soiled, a Bargain At 75c Each Friday Special Imported all-silk mufflers; all new and hand

HANDKERCHIEFS.

00 doz. Lødies' Sheer Linen Handker-chiefs, hand embroidered Scallops, French designs; regular price, 25c each. Red Letter Price, 15c Each 128 doz. Gents' Handkerchiefs, all linen, hemstitched, full size; regular price, 18c each...... Red Letter Price, 10c Each

Ochildren's Astrachan Sets (Muff and Collar); regular price, \$1.25 each. Red Letter Price, 75c Each 75 pcs Feather Trimming, 3 inches wide, regular price, 50c yard. Red Letter Price, 5c Yard

but the rest of it was destroyed. Two charred bodies were found in the ruins, and it is sup-posed that one is that of Edward Roney, the cierk, but it is not known whose body the other is. Five men were also hurt in fighting the fiames. The house itself was one of the oldest in town, and was not very valuable. There was some insurance on the property. Insurance Involved in Boston's Fire. BOSTON, Mass., Dec. 5.-The total amoun of insurance involved in the Thanksgiving

Day fire, officially reported to date, is \$2,304, Ingalls' Christmas Price List, Page 5.

INJURED BY AN EXPLOSION. Child Fatally Burned - Collision

PITTBURG, Pa., Dec. 5.—By an explosion of cinder and slag at the Sligo Rolling Mills. South Side, at 7:30 o'clock this morning, three posing Block in the City-A Sale That workmen, Patrick Burns, aged 60 years, James McBeth, aged 21 years, and John Kelly, about 40 years of age, were badly burned. Burns' injuries will prove fatal. The explosion was caused by water coming in contact with the hot siag. The damage to the mili was very slight. Bodies Found in the Ruins of a Burned Hotel at East Tawas, Mich,-Husband and Wife Perish in Their Home at

Collision at a Crossing.

PARIS, Ill., Dec. 5 .- An accident occurred House, one of the oldest hotels in the country, was discovered to be on fire at 11:30 this Railway at Midland Crossing. A west-bound orning. The fiames were first seen by trainfull of passengers on the I. & St. L. was morning. The fiames were first seen by Thomas O'Brien, the head porter. It started at the foot of the freight elevator and the shaft acting as a fue, the fiames quickly shot to the upper stories, giving the guests but a very few moments to get out. In ten minutes the three upper stories of the main building were on fire, the fiames bursting from the windows on the sides of the three streets. The fire

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cated.

Elijah Hall, Kansas, Ill., back injured.

F. N. Collins. Buffalo, N. Y., head cut and nternal injuries.

Mrs. Went Grover, this city, back injured, ribs and collar-bone broken.

W. H. Lew, Rochester, N. Y., slight injuries about the head. When the fire broke out there were 200 guests ber of ladies were carried from the building. Four other persons received slight injuries, but were able to continue their journey.

Best Route to Florida.

The Ohio & Mississippi Railway, with its four solid daily trains to Cincinnati, connecting nificent structure but the four blackened direct in Upion Depot with the morning and evening fast trains of the Queen & Crescent route, with through sleepers for Jacksonville is the best and quickest route to Chattanooga, Atlanta, Macon, Jacksonville, Charleston and Parlor Cars and sleeping cars for the entire call at O. & M. offices, 101 and 103 North Fourth made of bed ticking, and Underwood had his street, and Union Depot, or address A. J. face scorched and beard singed.

The building destroyed covered an entire Lytle, General Western Passenger Agent, St.

block and was seven stories in height. It was | Louis, Mo. Pocketbook Snatchers

owned by Chas. J. Clarke, Florence G. Miller and the Crossan heirs, and was valued by them, with the lot, at \$500,000. The loss will be less than \$100,000. The insurance is \$197,500, of which \$160,000 is on the building and \$37,500 on the stock.

The building was erected after the great fire of 1845 and was one of the largest and most imposing blocks in the city. The hotel was known by all travelers and was mentioned by Dickens in his "American Notes" as the model hotel of the West. A peculiar feature of the fire was that all the papers were drawn for the sale and transfer of the building at 3 o'clock this afternoon, the price being \$475,000. Most of the guests lost all their personal property. While Mrs. Shehlert, living at 1529 North Market street, was standing on the corner of Broadway and St. Charles about 10 o'clock yesterday about 10 o'clock yesterday morning two young men passed. Suddenly one of them turned and snatched a plush pocket-book from Mrs. Shehlert's hand. The two ran west on St. Charles street and disappeared around the corner of Sixth street before the astonished victim could recover from her surprise. As soon as possible the lady give the alarm, but the thieves were out of sight. The police have their descriptions. The pocket-book contained a little over \$6 in money.

Songs of Old Ireland.

A large audience assembled in Music Hall dispatch to the Daily News says: John Madden and his wife were burned to death last last evening for the Irish concert by the Ludwig Concert Co. A most entertaining programme was presented in an excellent manner. Mr. Beaumont and Miss Layton perhaps excelled in expressive ballad singing, but the resonant baritone or Mr. Ludwig and the fine soprano of Mme. Mullen were used to admirable advantage. The Irish piping was also a novei and enjoyable feature. The audience was enthusiastic, and demanded a repetition of almost every number.

ACCUSED OF FORGERY. Young Couple Who Married in St. Loui Arrested in Arkansas.

A telegram from Little Rock, Ark., state that Mrs. J. A. Rube, of Beebe, Ark., was arrested there yesterday for complicity in eries with which her husband charged. J. A.

VOLAPUK Now is your chance to learn new and valuable language in EIGHT eight easy lessons. Lesson the first in the last SUNDAY POST

The Fourth District Police received a bundle of clothing to-day for the poor. It was a gift Irom Mrs. Gloor, No. 2106 North Ninth street. At its next meeting, December 11, the Bremen Building & Loan Association will consider a proposition to open a new series of shares.

Miss Alice R. Hastings has been the recipi ent of many pleasing and deserved compli-ments in the past few days on her promotior as second assistant of the Ames School, Thir teenth and Hebert streets.

Greenwood, sold a 50x192 foot lot to-day on the

POST-DISPATCH. Real Estate.

"DON'T FORGET TO REMEMBER" The slaughter prices advertised by the

Mr. Peyton Carr, with the firm of Carr

retail merchants in this issue of the

Two Charred Bedies ip the Ruins. EAST TAWAS, Mich., Dec. 5 .- The Miner k fire this morning from a defective ney. Prompt work an the part of the of almost every number.

rested there yesterday for compilicity in forgeries with which her husband J. A. Rube is charged. J. A. Bube, who had been extensively engaged in wagon-making at Beebe, Ark., went to Little Rock on November 21 and negotiated a quantity of ninety-day notes at the Bank of Little Rock. These notes were indorsed by H. B. Strange, H. N. Bean, Walker & Ford, Cole Burkhardt & Co., N. J. Herndon, J. W. Jones, and J. M. Lyle of Beebe. The notes aggregated \$6,000. Inquiry developed that the indorsements were fraudulent. The cashler went to Beebe and inquired among those whose names appeared on the notes and found they were all ignorant of the fact that they had indorsed the paper. Rube's possessions were all attached and Mrs. Rube arrested. She takes the matter very easily, and stouly maintains her innocence. She would give no information as to the previous history of herself or husband. Rube is supposed to be a Spanish exile, but it is known that they were married in St. Louis. Inquiry here ideveloped the following facts: J. Anson Rube of White County, Ark., and Mrs. Moille Dunn of Louisville, Ry.. were married by Rev. Carroll M. Davis, their diocesan missionary, at St. George's Church, residence 2839 Chestnut street, on May 16 of this year. Mr. Davis, who is now canon of Christ Church Cathedral, was seen at the Cathedral this morning. He remembered the wedding.

"Mrs. Dunn," he said, "came to St. Louis from Louisville with Sister Emily of the sisterbood of St. Martha. Mr. Rube came up from Beebe, Ark., to meet her. I had not known of them previous to the evening of the wedding. Sister Emily, whom I know to be a thoroughly responsible woman, brought them to me. She was deeply interested in Mrs. Dunn, who, I believe, had been connected with the Episcopal Orphanage in Louisville, or had in some way been connected with the economy. I think Mr. and Mrs. Rube went away the next day, but Sister Emily remained several days as the guest of the Sisters of the Good Shepherd on Compton avenue. I understood that Mrs. Dunn had no fr

LESSONS. DISPATCH.

NORTH ST. LOUIS.

Washington Lodge, A. P. A., will celebrat New Year's eve with a festival and ball a stolle's Hall, Thirteenth and Biddle streets.

There is a sale of fancy work, etc., in progress to-day at St. Ann's Asylum, No. 1236 North Tenth street. The sale is for the benefit of the sisters and children of the institute.

teenth and Hebert streets.

Bellefontaine Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, has elected these officers: Mrs. D. E. Vanjstan, W. M.; Mrs. A. J. Wharton, A. S.; Mrs. Mary E. Carr, T.; Mrs. Sarah E. Dillon, S.; Mrs. Johanna Marks, C.; Miss Nellle Simpson, A. C. The newly elected Worthy Matron, Mrs. Van Stan, appointed, the following officers: Mrs. Pearson, Q. E.; Mrs. Mary J. Ferris, A.; Mrs. C. D. Eldred, M.; Mrs. Aldrich, E. The new officers will be installed December 17, and an excellent, programme will be provided for the event.

JOSEPH PULITZER, President TERMS OF THE DAILY. stage paid, every afternoon and By the week (delivered by carrier). larly will confer a favor upon us by reporting the same to this office by postal card. All business or news letters or telegrams should be

POST-DISPATCH,

POSTAGE.

Entered at the Post-office, St. Louis, Mo., FOREIGN. Sunday Post-Dispatch...... Cent TELEPHONE NUMBERS.

London Office, 32 Cockspur Street, Charing Cross TWELVE PAGES

A BROKEN STATUTE.

"Any person who shall sell or expose to sale, or cause to be sold or exposed to sale, or shall keep on hand for the purpose of sale, or shall advertise or cause to be advertised for sale, OR WHO SHALL PRINT OR PUBLISH SUCH ADVER-TISEMENT, or shall aid or assis or be in any wise concerned in the sale or exposure to sale of any lottery ticket or tickets, or any share or part of any lottery ticket in any lotte device in the nature of a lottery, within this State or elsewhere, and any person who shall advertise or to be advertised, the drawn of any scheme in any lottery, OR SHALL PRINT OR PURLISH SUCH ADVERTISEMENT, and shall be convicted thereof in any court of competent jurisdiction. fense, forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding \$1,000. - [Revised Statues of 1889. Sec. 3833 of Art. 8, Chap. 47.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 5, 1889. AMUSEMENTS TO NIGHT.

OLYMPIC-"Pearl of Pekin." GRAND OPERA-HOUSE-"The City Directory." PEOPLE's-"McCarthy's Mishaps."

Weather forecast for twenty-four hours, commencing at 8 a.m. to-day, for Missouri: Fair; colder.

Weather forecast for twenty-four hours, commencing at 8 a.m. to-day, for St. Louis: Fair; colder.

IT looks like SCHUARTE.

THE name of the new postmaster is R. KERENS SCHUARTE.

THE harmony between the officials and the lottery thieves remains unbroken.

THE weakest part of the St. Louis World's Fair movement has been in its

Turpe is too much blow and not enough go in the St. Louis World's Fair cam-

day. The twelve pages of the Post-Dis-PATCH are full of bargain announcements.

THE worst thing that can be said about the President's message is that Wall street and the more poly interests like it.

Is THE stain of hoodlumism in the Sheriff's office supplemented by the taint of of the Senate, that the knock-out blow at crookedness for the protection of crim-

SECRETARY WINDOM'S proposed silver measure should be entitled "An act for mitted their State delegation to support the demonetization of silver at the option of the Secretary of the Treasury."

A TWELVE-PAGE POST-DISPATCH to-day following the ten-page issues of yesterday and the day before is sufficient proof of the booming condition of local

If the farmers and laborers get together and vote together on the great principles of tariff reform, ballot reform and equal justice to all they can snap their fingers

If the chairman of the St. Louis World's Fair Executive Committee believes the New York World's poll of Congress is inaccurate, let him give 'us respect. The circumstances demand the his own poll, with names and pledges.

THE nomination of Judge BREWER has a tendency to fix the eyes of the people again upon a distinguished Indiana soldier, statesman and jurist by the name of GRESHAM. It may make him the only hope of the Republican party in 1892.

THE best way to convince Congressmen that St. Louis is the right place for the World's Fair would be to send them copies of to-day's twelve-page Post-Dispatch. It speaks volumes for the intelligent and liberal enterprise of St. Louis merchants.

The severe rebuke administered by the Chairman of the St. Louis World's Fair Executive Committee to all those who question the perfection of his wisdom does not alter the fact that he has been the champion bungler and menumental partisan.

Is excellent. It is the promotion of an inght went to her house and called her built to the door. When she opened it he presented a platol to her breast and fired, service is just and proper. It is far better than overlooking faithful officials to reduce the service is just and proper. It is far better than overlooking faithful officials to reduce the woodering, and about to detect that he promotion of an inght went to her house and called her builting her instantly. the champion bungler and menumental idiot of the Executive Committee.

pensioners, subsidy grabbers, gold-bugs and millionaire campaign subscribers to give much attention to the tolling people.

THE BREWER NOMINATION.

Judge Brewer's long record as a Judge of the Kansas Supreme Court and subsequently as a Judge of the United States Circuit Court has been subjected to assault or serious criticism at but one point only, the sharp conflict between his actions and rulings in the Wabash receivership case and those of Judge GRESHAM with reference to that part of the road within the jurisdiction of anoth-

Their views of the law in that case wer so strikingly opposite, those of Judge BREWER were so pleasing and those of Judge Gresham so offensive to Jay Gould and the plutocracy of railroad wreckers that the nomination of Judge BREWER, rather than the older and more distinguished Indiana jurist, not only emphasizes the President's resentment of GRESHAM's rivalry in 1888, but seems nade with the purpose of forcing the Senate to condemn GRESHAM's and approve Brewer's position in the Wabash case.

So many expressions of popular feeling were called forth by that conflict between the United States Judges of two adjoining circuits, that if the anti-plutocratic sentiment of the country has any voice left in the Senate, it would seem that the confirmation of Judge BREWER is bound to turn on the issue between him and GRESH-

AM in the Wabash case. Doubtless the Republican majority in the Senate is large enough to make confirmation certain, and if it were not the plutocracy would find enough tools on the Democratic side. But by this nomination the President has plainly indicated what the influences were that downed GRESHAM at Chicago and are now controlling the present administration.

REPLYING to a reference of Councilman COMFORT to the low assessment of street railroad properties in this city. Assessor O'BRIEN makes an excellent point against the Municipal Assembly. He says that franchises can not be assessed. but revenue must be obtained from the companies owning them through provisions in the granting ordinances requiring the companies to pay the city for their valuable privileges. The responsibility, therefore, rests largely with the Municipal Assembly which frequently parts with profitable monopolistic privileges for little or nothing in return.

THE accusation that the POST-DISPATCH is "knifing" St. Louis because it insists on a better management of the city's World Fair campaign is an absurd dodging of the real issue by the responsible parties. It is resorted to on the theory of a thief who cries "stop thief" to cover his own crime. The record of the Post-Dis PATCH's work for St. Louis speaks for itself, and it is in the line of that record that it now calls attention to the silly selfglorifleation antics of some of its World's Fair managers. The claims of St. Louis and the liberality of her citizens deserve honest, earnest, vigorous work for success. in place of peacock pluming and strutting on the part of the Governor and his news. paper man Friday.

THERE was a scramble among the Senators yesterday for the opportunity to The Silver Men Do Not Want a String Tled to ator SHERMAN introduced the first antitrust bill, and was followed by Senator REAGAN and others. There is no evidence of a rush to strike an effective blow against the conditions which make monopolistic trusts possible—the iniquities of the tariff. It is at this point, gentlemen

HARRISON is still making a conspicuous example of the Illinois Senators who per the wrong Indiana man in the Chicago Convention. Civil service reform may be incidentally upheld by the cold shoulder which is presented to FARWELL and CUL-LOM at the White House, but it naturally makes them as mad at HARRISON as HAR-RISON is at all who had anything to do with the Gresham movement.

Some suspicious facts indicating that criminals are favored through the failure of employes of the Sheriff's office to serve subpœnas properly on State witnesses were published in yesterday's Post-Dis-PATCH. The Sheriff's office is too important in the administration of justice to allow the slightest wrong-doing in this attention of the Grand-jury.

THE hitherto unknown HARRISON who is ahead for Minister to Russia is not a relative of the President, but is one of his plutocratic benefactors. Just how much this HARRISON contributed to the immense corruption fund forwarded to New York by WANAMAKER is not known, but there need be no doubt that the nom-

In one respect the appointment of Judge
DAVID J. Brewer to the Supreme bench
is excellent. It is the promotion of an
Leethe Wooddridge, and about 10 o'clock las

Of French Chateaux wines are those shipped The dinner pail of the workingman did by J. Calvet & Co. For sale by David Nicholnot figure conspicuously in the Presi-

inboat Stranded-British Columbia's Protest-Foreign News.

The action brought by Mrs. John W. Mackay against the proprietors of the Manchester charging that prior to her marriage

Examiner for libel for publishing an article charging that prior to her marriage to Mr. Mackay, Mrs. Mackay was a washerwoman in Nevada, was settled to-day by the defendants apologizing to the plainting for the publicating of the article complained of and paying the costs of the action. The defendants also agreed to pay a certain sum of money to some charitable institution to be selected by Mrs. Mackay.

The British gun boat Watchful is stranded at Lowestoft, County of Suffolk. The Watchful is composite vessel of 560 tons and mounts four guns.

STRIKE OF GAS-WORKS EMPLOYES.

The men employed in the Municipal Gasworks at Manchester, recently gave notice that they were shout to go on strike. They subsequently attempted to withdraw the notice, but were not allowed to do so, and they were shout to go on strike. They subsequently attempted to withdraw the notice, but were not allowed to in the gas-works. The men who are locked out have assumed a menacing attitude. The supply of gasis not adequate to the demand and at night the city is only half lighted.

The trouble at the South London Gas Works arises from the fact that some of the Union men employed at the works have accepted a bonus to make an engagement to work for the company for one year. These men the Union men regard as "blacklegs," and it is they who are referred to in the notice given to the company by the gas stokers and coal porters that a strike will be commenced next week unloss the services of "blacklegs" are dispensed with.

PARNELL TO SALISBURY.

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Mr. Parnell will speak at a meeting at Albert Hall, Nottingnam, on Tuesday. His speech will be in reply to the one made by Lord Salisbury at the recent Conservative conference in Nottingham. Mr. Arnold Morley and Mr. Henry Broadhurst, Liberal members of the House of Commons for Nottingham will support Mr. Parnell.

The British ship King Robert, Capt. Rollo, from Glasgow, August 3, for San Francisco, has been burned off Cape Horn.

BERLIN, Dec. 5 .- A banquet was given in onor of Emperor William at Dessau, the capital of the Duchy of Anhalt last night. The Emperor, replying to a toast given by the Duke of Anhalt pointed out that Brandenburg and Prussia had from the most ancient period sustained relations of amity with Anhalt. His Majesty also alluded to "the glorious rule of Ascanias over the Brandenburg Marshes" and said that the Ascanian House had laid the foundation on which the house of Hohenzollern had been enabled to continue erecting the fabric of State. The Emperor warminy eulogized the late Field Marshal Leopold of Anhalt, the instructor of the Prussian Army, DOWN AN EMBANKMENT.

A railway train was thrown from the track at Soran, in Brandenburg, to-day. The cars fell down an embankment and three persons were killed and many others injured. Emperor, replying to a toast given by the

LONDON, December 5 .- Viscount Preto, the ast Prime Minister of Brazil under the empire, who was exiled upon the proclamation of the republic, has arrived at Teneriffe by way of St. Vincent. While at the latter place he had a conference with Dom Pedro, the ex-Emperor. Viscount Preto has given an account of the revolution, which agrees with the details of the movement heretofore published.

The Dominion.

OTTAWA, Ontario, Dec. 5 .- With reference to the protest of British Columbia against the setting apart of Constance Cove, Esquimaux ships of war as an anchorage ground, the Dominion Government has received a dispatch from the Provincial Government of British Columbia asking for a rearrangement of the limits of the proposed man-of-war reservation. It is understood, however, that before final action is taken the Minister of Mexico will sak for the views of Minister of Marine will ask for the views of Admiral Heneage, the Victoria Pilotage Board and the Harbor Master of Victoria on the sub-

Read the merchants' "cut prices" adver tised in this issue of the POST-DISPATCH

NOT PLEASED WITH IT.

The President's message and Secretary Windom's report, with their expressions o silver, have occasioned a great deal of inter among gentlemen who were in attendance at the recent National Silver Convention. On the recent National Silver Convention. One of those appointed on the National Committee by the convention said this morning: "I have only had time to glance at the President's message, but you may suppose I have read with eare that portion which relates to the silver question, though I ought not to say I have fully digested the President's idea on the subject. I think the President's position is stated when he says, 'At a later day I may communicate further with Congress on this subject.' I infer that the President is ready to sign any bill which Congress may pass. There are some sentences in his message which will help the rank and file of the Republican party to think well of silver, and relieve their apprehensions as to dire calamities to be expected from the continuance of silver coinage. The President says: 'The evil anticipations which have accompanied the coinage and use of the silver deliar have not been realized.' Again he says: 'The general acceptance and use of the silver certificate shows that silver has not been otherwise discredited,' by which he means that the paper representative of coined dollars in the Treasury is more convenient.

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representative of coined dollars in the Treasury is more convenient.

"Secretary of the Treasury Windom should be the last man in the country to fear the evil results which the President seems to fear would result from the free coinage of sliver at the present ratio. His experience with the resumption of specie payments should convince him that many a ghost turns out to be a harmless white cow upon closer inspection. From my understanding of Secretary Windom's sliver suggestions there are several serious objections. I should not favor giving to any one man the power to decide when it should be proper to stop the purchase of sliver buillon, as he suggests, any more than I would be willing to give to any one man the power to suspend specie payment at his will. The person having such power would be able to 'makes good thing of it' it so disposed. The plan, suggested would advance the price of sliver buillon, no doubt, and in doing so much benefit would result through all the channels of trade and labor throughout the country; but, 'with a string to it.' the certainty of financial disturbances through all the channels of trade and labor throughout the country, but, 'with a string to it,' the certainty of financial disturbances would be beyond question. The plan is at best but an expediency. The free and unlimited coinage of silver and gold is a principle; and further, it is a principle which underlies the well-being of civilization. The silver question, like all others, will never be settled putil it shall be settled right.'

CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 5 .- When the court was called to order for further hearing in the Cronin case this morning, Mr. Hynes of

ACCEPTED AN APOLOGY.

TERMINATION OF MRS. JOHN W. MACKAY'S
LIBEL SUIT.

Strike of the Gas-Works Employes at Manchester, England—Arrival of the Exiled
Brazilian Minister at Teneriffe—A British
Gunboat Stranded—British Columbia's

DRIVEN TO DESPERATION

On the floor of the Merchants' Exchange this morning there was a great deal of excitement among grain dealers in consequence of a report that W. G. Downing, Chairman of the State
Board of Railroad and Warshouse Commissioners, had declared his intention of preventing dealings in grain inspected in East
St. Louis on the floor of the Merchants' Exchange. This report emanated from Kansas
City, wheres Mr. Downing was yesterday. The merchants were generally
inclined to doubt its authenticity, as
it was not believed that anyone could have
taken so indefensible a position. But admitting
it to be authentie, no one sould be found who
believed that any such rule could be enforced.
Seth W. Cobb. who declared himself in favor believed that any such rule could be enforced.

Seth W. Cobb, who declared himself in favor of State inspection, said that he did not believe that Downing could have made any auch remark, bus that if he had any such idea hat would be utterly unable to enforce it. To say that St. Louis merchants could not buy receipts calling for grain in East St. Louis or East Africa, if they chose to do so, was absurd. D. P. Grier was inclined to believe the report to be true, but laughed at the idea of an enforcement of any such arbitrary measure. Downing, he said, could as easily stop the operations of the United States Government as trading in Illinois grain receipts on the floor of the Merchants' Exchange. Such an attempt, in his opinion, was caused by a stringency of funds in the possession of the Chief Grain Inspector, as the great mass of grain was being driven across the river by the course pursued by Burks. As an instance Grier said that this morning a consignment of grain was received from the Farmers' Association by a St. Louis house, with the request that it be shipped to East St. Louis, as the inspection at that point was more favorable to the farmers than that obtainable from Burks.

The Farmington expert owes his of-

able to the farmers than that obtainable from Burks.

The Farmington expert owes his official existence to the farmer, and this desertion, an example of many others, had, it was believed, driven the Railroad Commissioners to idesperation.

T. W. Booth did not believe that Downing could intend attempting anything so impossible as stopping trading in Illinois corn in this market. Many others expressed themselves in the same manner, and no one believed that either Burks or Downing could prayent St. Louis dealers from buying or selling grain that had not paid tribute to Burks.

Meeting at Hamburg to Bring About the Building of a New Line.

By Telegraph to the Post-Disparch.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Dec. 5.—Informatio was received from Hamburg this morning that held at that place, and a bonus been raised to induce the New Orleans, Natchez & Fort Scott Railroad to build through the town. Money and lands amounting to thousands of dollars were subscribed. Col. G. W. Norman, M. L. Hawkins, W. T. Wooldridge, E. D. Watson, W. E. Guise, D. B. Pugh, W. F. McCombs, A. H. Wilson, J. H. Pryor, W. G. Rolfe and other prominent officens are taking an active part in promoting the enerprise. The road is one of the most important lines in the Southwest, and the President of the company, Gen. John H. Rice, has pledged that it will be constructed to Hamburg before December SI, 1830. The company has purchased a large amount of Iron, and a contractor has the contract for building the road through Louisians. Between eight hundred and one thousand men are now at work on the line from Vidalia to Sicily Siand. It is expected that the road will be completed to the determine of the or the line from Vidalia to Sicily Siand. seld at that place, and a bonus been raised to It is expected that the road will be completed to the first-named point by the Slat of this month, and will eventually be built from Kansas City, Mo., to the Gulf of Mexico, thus giving the Southwest the most important commercial thoroughfare in the country.

A \$20,000,000 Mortgage.

By Telegraph to the Poer-Disparch.
PARKERSBURG, W. Va., Dec. 5.—A mortgage of \$20,000,000 on the proposed railroad through the counties of Lincoln, Logan, Mercer, Mc-Dowell, Wayne and other counties is now being put on record at the county seats of the above named countles. The new road will run from the seaboard to the lakes and will tap the richest section of West Virginia. It will run through a country extremely rich in minerals and timber, and will open up an immense trade heretofore entirely overlooked.

PRUDENT HOUSEKEEPERS

Will read the advertisements of our retail morning to get first pick at the bargains.

A PECULIAR CIRCULAR,

dignation Among Corn Receivers. A grain firm in this city received this morning a circular that was sent out by a St. Louis commission merchant, on December 2, and this circular created great indignation among the trade. This firm charges certain houses of this market who have been buying corn is the country, with being interested in having the corn they buy miss grading No. 2. The paragraph referred to reads as follows:

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"Act on our hint to load care to maximum capacity, as there is such a scarcity of them. Corn is low enough, and on account of its cheapness there will be heavier consumption than ever before known; hence we impart the advice not to sell abroad, but keep on constantly shipping to the market. We, as your commission merchants, will surely be more interested in looking after your inspections than any buyer here of your corn to arrive. It is frequently to the interest of the buyer to have his purchases miss grade. It is never to the interest of the commission merchant to have consign chases miss grade. It is never to the interest of the commission merchant to have consignments miss grade. We mention this as a point for you to reflect upon."

Some of the grain receivers were made nough to call the writer of this personally to account, and there was serious talk of having the matter brought before the Exchange Directory and the members of the commission house that issued the circular disciplined for libeling the trade.

TOUGHS ON TRAINS

Knives.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH drunken men got on the Missouri Pacific train at Joplin for Webb City. When Conductor Kolger saked for their fare they became abusive and after some alter-ation, enthim with knives, slashing his right ear and face. The train was held at this place to obtain surgical help. The wound was sewed up by Dr. Brooks, who thinks the disfigurement will be slight. Roger went to his nome at Kansas City. The two men, Cooley and Beasley, were arrested this morning. Cooley is a son of the man who killed City Marshal Moore of Webb City a few weeks axo. drunken men got on the Missouri Pacific

The application for a charge of venue in the case of the State against Bartholemew M. Chambers, who shot and killed Frank J. Rowman, was made in the Circuit Court of St. Louis County this morning by Messrs. Johnson and Hereford, attorneys for the defendant.

The petition saks a change of venue on the grounds that the inhabitants of the entire Nineteenth Judicial District are projudiced against him, and that a fair trial cannot be had therein. The defendant asks the removal of his cause to some other circuit, where this prejudice is not alleged to exist.

B. W. Chambers, were to the alleged to axist,

B. M. Chambers swore to the allegations set forth in the petition and summoned as witnesses Willis H. Hord and Joseph W. Fowler, who were sworn and testified that the allegations of the petitions were true.

Judge W. W. Edwards, to whom the petition was presented, said that he would pass upon it to morrow mornia;

CHICAGO'S HARD WORK.

PLAIN EVIDENCE OF HER VIGOROUS CAM-PAIGN FOR THE WORLD'S FAIR.

United Effort Intelligently Managed What Missouri Congressmen Are Prom-ising Their Heachmen-President and Mrs. Harrison to Visit Chicago-Petition to Change the Name of the United

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH. Washington, D. C., Dec. S.—Every day day brings forth new evidence of the vigorous canvass Chicago has been conducting for the past two months to get the World's Fair. One of the ardent St. Louis advocates is very much surprised to find that the missionaries of the Windy city have peneplied with every argument that might bring forth a single vote in Congress. Chicago representatives have been visiting road facilities, and in fact everything that would appeal to the people in various sections with a view of securing the support of those who represent them in Congress. As a result the petitions of small boards of trade, business corporations and other bodies, have been forming a large portion of the average Con-

the work is Gen. Stevenson of Illinois, and while Mr. Walker, another of the Chicago representatives here, is a quiet, modest gentleman, he is the attorney for great rallway in the Northwest.

tor in the contest. To overcome this St. Louis must be up and doing. Her present embarrassment appears to be the want of a sufficient number of representative men from that city, who have an acquaintance with the represent ative men who gather here.

Ex-Congressman O'Neili is applying himself vigorously day and night in behalf of St. Louis, and where he fails in getting a support for his city at first, he secures it for second. More such workers are needed right now. Those interested must get labor under the failse idea that everything New York has will go to St. Louis, or that the Senate of the United States will permit itself to be instructed by the House. Those who are here are doing what they can.

ed by the House. I have who had adding what they can.
Gen. Clark, with his extensive acquaintance is shrowing his full strength into the work.
A committee of six, a box of cigars and a reading-room at the Capitol will not secure the prize for St. Louis.

Missouri Matters.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH. Washington, D. C., Dec. 5.—Mr. Niedring-haus is very hopeful of the appointment of J. C. Broadwell of St. Louis as reading clerk. In the test last night he acquitted himself well

In the test last night he acquitted himself well and will be given an opportunity to test his powers before the House.

A brother of Miss Phæbe Cousins has been indorsed by the St. Louis members for a position in the Sergeant-at-Arms office.

J. B. Pollard of St. Louis has been indorsed for a first-class position under the doorkeeper and may be appointed Superintendent of the document-room to succeed John A. Hannay of Sedalia.

Mr. Kinsey has recommended James R. Copeland of Reynolds County for a membership under the doorkeeper. It has been agreed that each St. Louis member shall one place from the doorkeeper. He also to-day called upon the Comptroller of the Currency to urge the dismissal of criminal proceedings against C. C. Crecolius, cashier of the Fifth National Bank of St. Louis. The Comptroller said he would take the matter up to-day and intimated that his decision might be favorable.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 5 .- While it has not been definitely settled, it is probable that President and Mrs. Harrison and Private Secretary Halford will leave here to marrow evening for Chicago to attend the opening of the auditorium. The Vice-President and Mrs. Morton, accompanied by their nices, Mrs. Sands, and Mr. Chilton, the Vice-President's Private Secretary, will leave Washington for Chicago to-morrow evening in President Ingalis' private car over the Chesapeake & Ohlo road. President and Mrs. Harrison and Private Sec-

FIFTY-FIRST CONGRESS.

The Senate.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 5.—Among the numerous memorials and petitions presented this morning was one signed by D. E. Webster, asking that the national title be changed to that of "the United States of Columbia."

The Senate at 1.25 adjourned until Monday.

The House.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 5.—After appointing the special committee on the Sheott defalcation, this morning, the Speaker named the following regular committees:

On Rules—The Speaker and Messrs, McKingey, Cannon, Carlisle and Randall.

On Accounts—Messrs. Spooner, Boothman Kelly of Kansas, McCord, Hansbrough, Hayes, Grimes, Lee and Kerr of Pennsylvania.

Son Enrolled Blils—Messrs. Kannedy, Townsend of Pennsylvania; Moore of New Hampshire, Kilgore and Williams.

The House, then, on motion of Mr. McKinley, at 12:15, adjourned until Monday.

Belleville.

oury pleaded guilty in the Circuit Court toicense and were fined \$60 each. M. J. Doblicense and were fined \$60 each. M. J. Dobschuetz was placed on trial on the charge of
embezziement. The trial will probably be
finished to-morrow. William Smits, charged
with burglary and larceny, and Charles
Burnett, charged with criminal assault, were
arraigned and plead not guilty. The Grandjury returned the following indictments: Philip Barker, larceny; Elizabeth Whittle, selling
ilquor without license: Benjamin Carrolitoa
and Mary Dugen, adultery; Marcus Shoras,
confidence game.

Another Loophole Warrant, The case against William Freudenau,

was called for trial this morning, and a noile prosequi was entered. The reasons given were that the State's own information was fatally defective and failed to charge an offense. It did not mention the name of the so-called newspaper in which the lottery advertisement appeared and did not state where, how or in what manner the defendant had nyinted or circulated a lottery advertisement. It was another of Mr. Bernard Dierkes' loophole warrants and the defendant, as usual, jumped through. called for trial this mornin

The Taos Valley Irrigating Co. of East St. ouis held a meeting yesterday afternoon a Louis held a meeting yesterday afternoon at Mr. Renshaw's office and elected the following directors: Gilbert Elliott, Wm. Atchison, J. Haldeman, C. S. Ittner, F. S. Van Arnam, J. M. Fipes, Geo. Minch, J. S. Bristow, H. H. Wagnef and W. J. Lack.
Mrs. Tobin, wife of Patrick Tobin, died at her home on Menard avenue early this morning. She was 64 years of age. The remains will be interred at St. Henry's Cametery to-morrow afternoon.

By Telegraph to the Post-Disparch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Dec. 5.—State
Treasurer Noland completed a monthly report

sting figures:
Balance November 1, \$730,789.39.
Balance November, \$170,395.72.
Disbursements for November, \$279, 489.41.
Balance December 1, \$821,685.70.
The penitentiary carned during the month \$17,617.80, all of which was consumed by the expenditures.

8t. Louis will be busy this evening pick-ing out the good things offered by the merchants in the advertising columns of that issue of the POST-DEFATCH.

Zachery Robbed of All She Has While

A bearse and one carriage drove out to the the only mourners were the orphan daughter and her little brother. It was a sad and solemn burial, and the story; of heroism that the history of that little family contains is one that excites sympathy and arouses the indignation of everyone who hears it against the brutes who added to the surrow the poor people had to bear.

The account which appeared in vesterday's Post-Distance of a quartette of nicely dressed this was the rob young girls on the street cars brought out this, and tale of a young girl's suffering. She was a victim of these same rogues, and at a time when her grief was great enough to arouse the sympathy of any one who knew of her trouble.

Laura Zachery is a plain girl, a servant, who is employed at 3103 Chestnut street as the cook in the house, but she is a real heroine. All that were left of her family were an invalid mother and a little brother, whom she supported out of her own measer wages. She rested a room for them at 1817 Chestnut street, and all that she had and all she earned went to pay for their supports and for medicines for her mother. Not long are Mrs. Zachery grew worse, and as she could not receive in her room the attention she needed, and Laura's purse was bare, she was sent to the Femile Hospital, where she died last Tuesday. The daughter had her mother's body taken to Whitsett's to be prepared for burial and set out to borrow the money in her pocketook, which she put in an outside pocket of the jacket she wore. On the car this same quartette of thieves that have robbed so many poor girls, found her and when she left the car to go to her home she found her book was gone with every cent she had in the world gone with it. Her lot was sade the money in her pocketook, which she put in an outside pocket of the jacket she wore. On the car this same quartette of thieves that have robbed of all she had and all she could borrow, the poor girl nearly gave way. Her misfortunes would have prostrated her but for their very magnitude, and knowing the necessities to which she was put, she emn burial, and the story of heroism that

THE PEOPLE'S FORUM.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch: I am engaged in a manufacturing business. The goods I manufacture are as staple as silver and not so bulky. At times it is very hard to find customers for my goods. It would suit me very well if our Government would take me for same in certificates redesmable at hold the certificates for a raise, both parties agreeing that the raise shall only be to a certain extent. I note in your issue of to-day that Secretary of the Treasury Windom proposes to do this for the sliver men, and I certainly would like something equally as good. Very truly yours.

St. Louis, Dec. 3. E. PLUBIBUS UNUM.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch: A very large majority of the citizens of St. Louis are with Comptroller Stevenson and Councilmen Nelson and Cole in their efforts to call a halt on the "salary grabbers" who are raiding the City Treasury. The salary list of the Fire Department has been increased on the sly from time to time, until that depart-ment has almost become a white elephant on the city's hands.

The police force, seeing the happy success achieved by the Fire Department, now want

achieved by the Fire Boyanth their innings.
But if it was left to a vote of the people, it is safe to say they would vote for an increase in the force and an extension of the department instead of an increase of salary, which is already very remunerative. Very respectfully, "Private Utrizen."

ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS. READER.—England has the most formidable by and Germany the most formidable army

cards before the hand is filled.

C.—John W. Gates who took a prominent part in the last campaign is the same John W. Gates who is interested in the formation of the barbed wire trust.

T. W.—It is not out of place for a young man to make a Christmas present to a young lady. A ring is a nice present, but its selection may be misconstrued by the young lady.

BILL NYS.—If he has lived in this country nine years, has qualified as a citizen, exercised the rights of citizenship, and is making this country his permanent home he cannot be called a foreigner.

Ago,—I. Dudley received his nickname

be called a foreigner.

IAG).—1. Dudley received his nickname from a letter in which he recommended the canvassers in charge of doubtful, presumably bribed voters, to divide them into blocks of five and keep track of them. 2. Apply to the Superintendent of the Census,

UNION SOLDIER—1. To name the best General on either side in the war would be impossible. Grant, Lee, Johnston, Sherman and Sheridan were the most famous. 2. P.G. T. Beauregard had many ardent admirers, who ranked him high, and many enemies who ranked him low.

Practicing Without License Deputy Sheriff Blanchard and Special filter Williams this morning arcested Dr. Judson Evans. The rested Dr. outbeat arrest was made on the strength of a warrant charging Evans with practicing medicine in the city of St. Louis without having first obtained a license. He furnished ball. Dr. Evans has lectured in one of the heaters.

CINCINNATI, O., Dec. 5 .- Negotiations wer

closed to-day for the sale of the Grand Hotel, which for a considerable time has been in the hands of a receiver. The purchaser is Mr. C. M. Hill of the Midland Hotel, Kaneas City. Mr. Hill proposes to make a number of changes in the interior of the building.

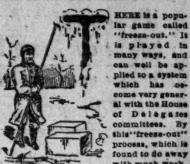
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mittee Boxes Overflowing With Bills on Which No Action Is Being Taken—How the Scheme Works-No Method, No Becords and a Dearth of Information



"freeze-out." It many ways, and can well be ap-plied to a system which has oeof Delegates found to do away

the committees take the bills and ordinance committee-box and then just leave them there over, and then it goes with many like it and becomes ancient history. There are supposed to be certain prescribed

this kind, and at each meeting they are sunposed to take some action on each measure submitted, even if it is only to postpone consideration. Then, if in due time it is found that any particular measure is not to be passed, say so in a report and have the thing But this is not done. The chairman of the then such measures, of intererest at the time, fit, and the rest are chucked back into the box to await his pleasure. The House of Delegates has a very bad habit of doing what the

to await his pleasure. The House of Delegates has a very bad habit of doing what the members of the committees call

"CONSIDERING" A MEASURE.
The way this is done is very simple. The chair man of the committee takes the bill and tells the committee what the bill is. Then it is put away and each member says to himself: "I will think about is," and then don't.

Nearly every committee box in the case in the clerk's office at the House of Delegates is full to overflowing with bills which are awaiting the action of the committees. Some few have been attended to, but in many instances there are bills lying away and growing rusty which have seen other measures of less importance come and go in the regular order of things, while they were left unnoticed, because some one had not been "seen" and no pressure was brought to bear.

THE COMMITTEE ON CLAIMS, consisting of Louis Kramer, Thomas H. Quinn, F. E. Allenberg, John Sheity and Conrad Heuher, has about twenty-five bills of claims of all kinds against the city and have done nothing to speak of toward squaring up accounts and hold off meetings as long as possible on the grounds that it would cost the city money to pay the claims, and consequently matters should be delayed as long as possible.

WATS AND MEANS.

The Ways and Means Committee, consisting of S. F. Meyerson, F. E. Allenberg, J. J. Bogard, Louis Spelbrink and F. E. Stone, has a very nice long list of bills down against it, some of them having lain untouched since July. Why the committee does not have a house-clearing can only be explained by the fact that the chairman of this and the Railroad Committee are constantly quarreling over who will have the big bills.

fact that the chairman of this and the Kail-road Committee are constantly quarreling over who will have the big bills. The list of bills in thiseommittee and the time they were referred is as follows: House bill 413, money to pay damages for opening alley, referred November 29. House bill 412, to provide for concerts in the Public Parks of the city, referred Novem-ber 29.

House bill 10. 847, to authorize the Inspector of Weights and Measures to inspect gas mesters, referred November 5.

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House bill No. 405, authorizing the Mayor and Comptroller to sell certain city property, referred November 22.

House bill, No. 349, to regulate bill posting in the city of 8t. Louis, referred November 5.

House bill No. 324, an amendatory ordinance providing for bonds for public works, referred August 2.

Council bill No. 69, an ordinance licensing testing and other machines of a like character, referred July 11.

House bill No. 523, providing for supplying charitable institutions with water free of charge, referred July 31.

House bill No. 48, to provide for lighting streats in the extended new limits where not lighted by electricity or gas, referred May 10.

House bill No. 532, increasing the salary of Assistant to Inspector of Weights and Measures, referred November 15.

20, House bill No. 121, regulating stone quarries, referred May 31.
House bill, No. 87, defining Hawkers, referred May 21.
House bill No. 88, replacing sec. 1,220 of ordinance No. 14,000, referred May 11.

ordinance No. 15,000, referred may in-FIRE DEPARTMENT.

The Fire Department Committee has a few measures upon which it has taken in tion for a long time and there are no re-of any kind to show the status of the what the reasons are for their neglect ar

what the reasons are for their neglect are not known.

The bills are as follows: Council bill 39, making it unlawful for the Fire Department to appear in public parade on the Streets, except for drill; referred May 31.

House bill 89, authorizing the placing of a bell on Engine-house No. 17; referred May 31.

House bill 153. authorizing the purchase of a lot for an engine-house; referred June 29.

RAILZOADS.

The Railroad Committee has a fine collection of bills and ordinances on its hands. Some of them are practically dead, because the projectors being somewhat green at the business of getting measures through have fired of the task and given up. Some of the bills are almost forgotten. The committee has laid a few on the top of the heap, which are looked over occasionally, but there are many which are never disturbed.

This committee consists of A. B. Hilgeman, T. H. Quin, P. H. Clark, H. O. Seigmand and J. E. Mohan. The luse of bills they have on hand is as follows: House bill No. 35, providing watchmen on street railroads at crossings and curves. Referred October 35.

House bill No. 355, providing for eignals at streats crossed by electric or cable roads. Referred November 1.

House bill No. 356, providing to a separation of the bill was and abolishing bobtail cars. Referred November 1.

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harp, to attend the funeral of Sister Tschas. Members requested to attend.
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of one (1) per cent on the capital stock of this com
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day, the 9th day of December, A. D., 1899, beging at the hour of 8 o'clock. m. and continuing until the hour of 4 p. m., for the purpose of voting on a proposition then and there to be submitted viz.: To increase the capital stock of the association from its present authorized capital of 2,500 share of two hundred (200) dollars each, aggregating for two hundred (200) dollars each, aggregating for two hundred (200) dollars each, aggregating on antilion (1,000,000) dollars, to 5,000 share of two hundred (200) dollars each, aggregating on of transacting any other business that may be properly brought before add meeting.

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WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 5.—The storm which as central yesterday morning in South Dakota has was central yesterday morning in South Dakota has more deastward to the lake regions, accompanied by regions. There has been a markd rise in temperatus in New England and the lake regions, the Ohio and Wiesterium! Vallawa and a decided fall in the axtrame

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afternoon and asked what was the character of the Spokane Club. He said that he had aimply acted as attorney for the incorporators and knew nothing about the proposed organization except that its object was to establish a reading-room and library. The President of the club, he said, was Henry Davis, and the members, as he understood, were not from any particular section, but from all parts of the city. In refusing the application Secretary of State Lesseur, he said, was ignoring the proforms decree of the Circuit Court in regard to such incorporations. When asked where it was proposed to establish the reading-room and library Mr. Smith said he did not know.

At its meeting last night the Directors of the North St. Louis Citizens' Association appointed a committee to urge the World's Fair Committee to select site No. 6 for the World's Fair location. The site is opposite O'Failon Park. The chairman of the committee is Col. Robert McCullock, directive head of the syndicate street car lines.

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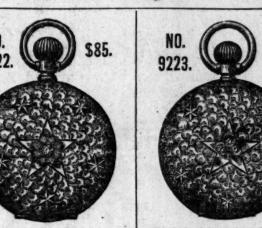
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Coffee Market.

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from the best prices, but at 11 o'clock the market was quiet and steady to firm, generally at or near the best prices reached. New England. Missouri Pacific, Reading, Lackawanna, Union Pacific, St. Paul and Sugar Refineries were the leading active stocks while the remainder of the list were quiet to duit.

Noon—Money is easier at 55% per cent. Bar silver 94%. The stock market was quiet after 11 o'clock, only New England and Union Pacific showing any real activity, while the list daveloped a declining tendency, which brought prices back again to most cases it of the neighborhood of the opening figures. Positive weakness was shewn by the Chicago and East Illinois stocks, however, the 15th Chicago and East Illinois stocks, however, the Chicago and East Illinois stocks and It loss the 15th Chicago and East Illinois stocks, however, the Chicago and East Illinois stocks and It loss the 15th Chicago and East Illinois stocks and It loss the 15th Chicago and East Illinois stocks and It loss the 15th Chicago and East Illinois stocks and It loss the 15th Chicago and East Illinois stocks and It loss the 15th Chicago and East Illinois stocks and It loss the 15th Chicago and Illinois stocks and It loss the 15th Chicago and Illinois stocks and It loss the 15th Chicago and Illinois stoc

New York Stock Quotations.

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East Tennessee com		****		
Erie com	27V2	275/8	271/2	274
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Closing Prices-1:15 P. M.

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Cornmeal at \$1.6001.70 and pearl meal, grits and hominy at \$2.3002.40.

Rye flour steady at \$2.8002.85 del.

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Hay was frm. Offerings were small, but so was the demand and best grades chiefly called for.

Timothy, prime to strictly offers, \$800.50 choics to strictly choice. \$1101.50; faircy, \$1201.20.50; till edge \$13013.50.

Provisions were quiet and steady, with Ground alum, \$1.10ma.nb.
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NEW YORK-December, S4the: January, S5the a February S6the a: March, S7the: May, S9the a June, S5the, Corn-December, 42the b; January June, S5the, Corn-December, 42the b; January June, Bernary and March, 41the b; January June, Bernary and June, January, 18the b;

Telegraphed the Redmond Cleary Commission Co.
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ONIONS—Good to choice at 55@65c per bu.

POTATOES—Bettom stock, 20@25c; lowa, 25@30c; Northern, 30@38c per bl.

BUTTER—teceipts. 53.629 fbs. Quiet and steady We quote: Creamery—Choice gathered cream, 22@24c; fancy, separator goods, 25@27c; Elgin higher. Dairy—thoice, 21@3c; fair, 17@20c; low, 12@14c. Near-by country make—Facked, 6@76 for low, 5@10c choice, Koll—5@10c for fair to choice.

EGGS—Receipts, 536 pkgs. Firm at 19@20c per make—Tackad accept of low, Sciloc choice, Roll—Sciloc for fair to choice loc for fair to choice. The choice lock of the cho

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Oil and Petroleum

\$75,000 MISSING,

And So Is Cashier Silcott of th National House of Representatives.

The Matter Laid Before Congress and a Committee of Investigation Appointed.

The Thief Supposed to Have Fled to Canada With His Plunder.

He Was the Trusted Employe of Mr. Leedom, the Betiring Sergeant-at-Arms of the House-The First Suspicion of Silcott's Crookedness Confirmed by a Call at the Treasury - The Missing Money Drawn Out on Saturday - The Cashler Last Heard From in New York-Why the Amount of the Theft Was Not Increased -Congressmen Anxions About Their Salaries-Bondsmen Notified-Comment at the Capital.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 5 .- Soon after the House was called to order this morning, Speaker Reed laid hefore it the following con munication from J. P. Leedom, late Sergean at-Arms of the House, directed to the Speaker which the Clerk was instructed to read:

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I regret ito report that C. E. Silcott, late cashler of the office of the Sergeant at Arms has departed from this city without settling his accounts, and I have been unable to ascertain his whereabouts, and there is a deficiency in the cash of the office. In view of these circumstances I respectfully request an immediate investigation of my accounts, under such action as the House of Representatives may take in the premises.

Mr. Adams of Illinois therefore offered the following resolution, which was una nimously

whereas, J. P. Leedom, late Sergesntat-Arms of the House of Representatives has reported to the House that C. E. Siltott, late cashier of the office of the Sergesnt-at-Arms, thus departed from the city without settling his accounts and his whereabouts are unknown and that there is a deficiency in cash in said office of about \$75,000, Resolved, That a select committee be appointed by the Speaker to examine the accounts of said office and report thereon to the House.

The committee, which has authority to administer oaths and to report in whole or in part at any time, was appointed by the Speaker as follows: Messrs, Adams, Stewart of Vermont, Payne, Reed of Iowa, Holman, Blout and Hemphill.

THE STORY OF SILCOTT'S CRIME. The history of the case, gas far as it can be

gathered at present, is as follows: Silcott was a trusted employe, who came here from Ohio, and was appointed by Mr. Leedom when that gentleman assumed office six years ago. He had good business qualifications and soon possessed himself of the unlimited confidence of his superior. Las-Saturday he notified Mr. Leedom that he was going to New York and would be back Sunday night. A message was received from him dated New York Monday morning saying that he had been detained, but would return that night. A similar message reached his wife in this city. As he did not appear Tuesday Mr. Leedom was fearful that he had been overtaken by some accordent, but to satisfy rising suspicions investigation. The information that Silcott had drawn his bank balance, deepened these suspicions and the inquiry was pursued. The enormous office safe could not be opened at the moment as Silcott had the combination, but when an entrance was finally effected, it was found that some \$30,set apart for the use of the paying teller was intact. The next inquiry was made at the Treasury Department and Mr. Leedom was stunned by the result. He was informed that Silcott had called there Saturday and had drawn about \$72,000. It was possible for him to draw this large sum without exciting comment, as he had for a long time been charged with the duty of collecting the money with which the salaries of the Representatives

Silcott is under bond in the sum of \$50,000, his sureties numbering about fifteen persons. This is, however, an indemnity bond given to the Sergeant-at-Arms, and Mr. Leedom, who is himself bonded in the sum of \$50,000, is directly responsible for the shortage.

AN EXCITING SCENE. The first news of the state of affairs came out just before the House met at noon today and there was an exciting scene in the office of the Sergeant-at-Arms. Mr. Leedom, who was sitting in the rear of his office, was surrounded by a number of members of the House, who were tendering advice of all kinds. The most practical suggestion was adopted at once by Mr. Leeduggestion was adopted as once by Mr. Lecdom, who appeared to be completely unnerved and unable to act for himself,
and telegrams were dispatched to his
sureties notifying them of Silcott's disappearance and expressing a willingness to cooperate fully in every effort to find him and
secure the return of the missing funds. Outside the bank-like railing across the room
atood another crowd of members, evidently
as anxious for themselves as for Mr. Leedon,
as they put many queries as to the amount of
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Mr. Leedom says that he would have trusted Silcott with any sum of money. He knew his brother well and believed that Silcott himself was entirely trustworthy. So firm was he in this belief that he had even hesitated to begin the investigation which has had such a disastrous conclusion, fearing that Silcott had been sandbagged in New York or had been detained by some untoward happening. What to do next, he does not yet know and is seeking advice. He was just about to turn over his office to the newly elected Sergeantat-Arms, Mr. Holmes, but this event necessarily delays the transfer.

Mr. Leedom says that it was within Silcott's power to have carried off not less than \$156,000, instead of the \$72,000 which is missing. It was suggested by a person standing near that to have carried off the balance would have changed the nature of the crime from embezzlement to their and have subjected the perpetrator to extradition even in Canada, whither it is already rumored the missing man has fied. This is on the theory that Silcott was the custodian of the money drawn from the treasury for the payment of salaries, and that his retention of this money would constitute simply embezzlement, while if he had taken the money in the paying teller's drawer of the safe it would have been a direct theft.

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Child Fatally Burned.

By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.

Jackson, Tenn., Dec. 5.—At a late hour yesterday evening Sophie, the 2-year-old daugh-ter of W. T. Rison, a painter, was fatally ned. Her clothing caught fire from a bissing torch in the lands af another child.

Mrs. Rison was seriously burned trying to extinguish the fames, which enveloped her
child. The little one died early this morning

312 North Broadway. Largest Assortment



This Beautiful Set, with Covered Slop Jar, Complete, only..... In Pink, Blue, Yellow or Gold Trimming.

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Dressing Cases, Manicure Sets, Jewel Boxes, Ivory, Shell and Buffalo Combs, Hair Brushes, Triplicate Mirrors, Cut Glass Bottles, Atkinson's Sachet Powders, Bottles for Covering, etc., etc.

M. W. ALEXANDER

Broadway and Olive St.

A VERY QUEER CASE.

FRANK BARADA DIES INTA HOVEL UNDER PECULIAR CIRCUMSTANCES.

A Negress Claims Him as Her Husband-Ber Brother Is Reponsible for His Death and Is Now Missing-Barada's Brothers Deny the Woman Was His Wife and Claim the Body-The Coroner Takes a Hand.

Frank Barada, a white engineer 27 years old, died Tuesday afternoon in a small, dark, illsmelling room in a tumble-down building at the southwest corner of an alley called Linden street, and Thirteenth street. His nurse until the end was mulatto woman, who claims that she was legally married to him. Her brother, Wm. Jackson, in a fight with Barada on November inflicted wounds which consed the death o the latter, and he is now a fugitive.

Barada formerly lived in Carondelet where wo brothers, John' a laborer, and Fred, a brakeman on the St. Louis, Iron Mountain & uthern Railroad, still live. He met there about three years ago the muliato woman, and was seen frequently at her house. About two years ago he moved up-town and has been living in Gay street, Linden street and on Thirteenth street with the woman all of the time since. He has spoken of her as his wife, and because

CONTINUED INFATUATION FOR HER has been cut off from his own family.

The woman not only says that he was her husband, but produces a certificate of mar-riage which, though unsigned, purports to evidence the marriage of Frank Barada and Sarah Hillman in East Carondelet on August 6, 1887, by Rev. Fred Lunce, a negro Baptist preacher, who in East Carondelet is a great power. The woman says she was a vidow at the time of her marriage to Barada. This story of miscegenation would have been unknown out of the negro quarter, had it not been for the quarrel between Mrs. Hillman-Barada's brother and her husband. Barada was under the inthe abdomen on the left side, and in the back.

oR. R. M'WILLIAM

was called in. He said to-day:
"The wound in the back was slight and
healed rapidly. The wound in the abdomen
also healed, but the spleen had
been out and there was a continual
hemorrhage. Then peritonitis supervened,
He was very poorly cared for, not having
proper food or attention. Had he gone
to the hospital, as I suggested, he
might have recovered, but neither he
nor the woman would consent to his removal.
I have not been there since last Friday, and
believe they called another physician. When
I last saw Barada I knew he could not
recover. One of his brothers called on me
soon after he was cut and asked about
his condition. This brother said Frank
had a wife in Belleville, and she
had telephoned for information regarding his
condition. I did not see this brother afterward."

MRS. HILLMAN-BARADA,
the colored woman, said: "I am Frank Bar-OR. R. M'WILLIAM

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MRS. HILLMAN-BARADA,
the colored woman, said: "I am Frank Barad's lawful wite. I will bury him if they will
let me. He died Tuesday afternoon at
3 o'clock. Dr. Jennings had been here a few
moments before and told me ne could not
live. That night Dr. Jennings and
Dr. Young held a post-mortem. They made
out the burial papers and we called Undertaker Mitcheli. This morning the Coroner
took the papers away from Mitchell, and tomorrow the Coroner is going to hold
a post-mortem. We don't know
when we will bury him. His
brothers Fred and John were here Tuesday
night and wanted to take the body that night
but Dr. Young told me not to let them
have it—that I didn't have no
right to give up the body. John, he was here
yesterday, and he got mad because I wouldn't
let him take the body away. I wouldn't do it
'cause Frank before he died asked me if I'd
get him a shroud and stick to him
till he was put away, and I said I
would. He knew if they took him to their
house I wouldn't be let in to see the last of
him."

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH. him."

Ingalis' Christmas Price List, Page | Ingalis' Christmas Price

THE LIGHTS WENT OUT. Panio in St. Lawrence O'Toole's Churc Caused by Sudden Darkness.

There was a serious panie in St. Lawrence O'Toole's Church last night. The church is ocated on the corner of Fourteenth and O'Fallon streets and last night was crowded with people attending the mission now being conducted there. It was just about 7:40 o'clock and the services were about to begin, when every gas-jet in the church flickered for moment and then went out, leaving the a moment and then went out, leaving the church in total darkness. A panic ensued. The entire congregation began a wild scramble for the doors. The alies became packed and many whose exit was cut off by the surging crowd climbed up to the windows and, raising them, jumped to the sidewalk. A number of those who attempted to get out by the doors were injured. Mrs. Egan, living at 1221 Biair avenue, was bent over upon the back of her seat and fell to the floor, where she was trampled upon. Mr. R. E. Cosgrove, a member of the choir, was slightly injured. To add to the excitement some one turned on a fire

ber of the choir, was slightly injured. To add to the excitement some one turned on a fire alarm, and the commotion made by the engines and hose reels struck terror to the hearts of those who had not up to that time escaped from the building.

When the excitement had abated an investigation of the accident was begun. The only way to turn off the gas is from a meter in the basement. It had not been turned off, however, for some cool-headed person who reached a gas jet when the panic was at its height struck a match and the gas burned. It is thought that some persons who contemplated pocket picking in the darkness and excitement extinguished the lights by blowing into a jet which had direct communication with all the other burners. After about a half an hour's delay the services were resumed and continued without interruption.

To-morrow (Friday) morning and you will get a chance at the magnificent bargains merchants offer you in this issue of the POST-DISPATCH.

STRONG COMPETITION

Caused a Young Man to Resort to Questionable Methods.

in the Laclede Building and said he was employed by Parker-Ritter-Nicholls to repair the instruments on which the stenographer was operating. Upon examination of the one a boy was using in the office he said it was out of order and asked J. C. Jones if he did not desire it fixed. Mr. Jones said not desire it fixed. Mr. Jones said certainly he did it it needed fixing, and the young man took the machine away, promising to return it at 90 clock this morning in good order. He did not come at the appointed hour, and about 10 c'clock Mr. Jones telephoned to W. B. Manny of Parker, Ritter & Nicholis, to send his machine over at once. Imagine his surprise when Mr. Manny replied that the machine was not there. He made up his mind he was out just \$100, and would have notified the police this evening had not the young fellow put in an appearance with the machine and a bill about noon-time. Mr. Jones was wrathy, and he and Mr. Manny who were present hauled the young fraud over the coals. While they were talking to him Mr. Sholes, agent of another concern, who heard they had located the young fellow, called up Mr. Jones on the telephone and told him to prosecute the young frand, and he would bear part of the expense, as Greenough had been going around and claiming to represent their concern, with which he had no connection. Mr. Jones, however, concluded the lecture given Greenough would be sufficient to cause him to give up his unlawful practice.

YOU WILL MAKE

Money by reading the advertisements of our merchants in this issue of the Post-DISATCH, providing you get down town early to-morrow morning.

Cotton Gin Burned.

JACKSON, Tenn., Dec. 5.—The cotton gin and saw-mill of S. M. Perkins and R. G. Stanius' wool carder



N. E. Corner Broadway and Washington Avenue



To-Morrow, Friday,

Is the FIFTH DAY of Our

DROP-DOWN

And the people of St Louis and vicinity are flocking to us by the HUNDREDS. Why, even the CHEAP JOHN and DEPARTMENT STORES are sending in their SALESLADY to pick up some of our GREAT BARGAINS, and we assure you that before this GREAT DROP-DOWN SALE is over we'll make some of the Dealers in Cloaks wish they never handled any. We'll make them forget their TOYS and TINWARH and cause them to HOWL in a FOREIGN TONGUE. Watch this paper and you'll find it full of Cloak Ads., and WHY? Because we have KNOCKED THE BOTTOM OUT OF THE PRICES, and it MAKES THEM DESPERATE. That's right; we don't care; the public will derive the benefit. Put in PAGES OF ADS. Give your Cloaks away. Give away a Grand Piano with every \$2 Garment. It will not help you. The public have been so often deceived that nothing but a straightforward plan goes—And that's what we are doing. Come Friday and judge for yourself.



This Complete Suit, suitable for a Xmas Present, only \$2.00

Prices, Whew!! Read These!

Drop-Down Price, \$12.50 Hundreds of Stylish Jackets, formerly \$20

Drop-Down Price, \$10.00 Hundreds of All-Wool Jackets, formerly \$10, Drop-Down Price, \$5.00 Hundreds of Nobby Newmarkets, formerly \$15,

Drop-Down Price, \$7.50 Hundreds of Plush Sacques, formerly \$20 Drop-Down Price, \$10.00 Hundreds of Plush Jackets, formerly \$30

Drop-Down Price, \$15.00 Hundreds of Plush Wraps, formerly \$22 Drop-Down Price, \$11.00 Hundreds of Children's Cloaks, formerly \$

Drop-Down Price, \$3.50 Hundreds of Seal Fur Muffs, formerly \$5, Drop-Down Price, \$2.50 Hundreds of Hair Lynx Muffs, formerly \$2.50 Drop-Down Price, \$1.25

Now \$3.00 Hundreds of Plush Top Coats, formerly \$24, Drop-Down Price, \$12.00 Hundreds of Misses' Puffed Sleeve Garments, formerly \$20.

Drop-Down Price, \$10.00 Hundreds of Children's Fur Sets, formerly \$3, Drop-Down Price, \$1.50



PARISIAN CLOAK CO., ORIGINATORS OF

Hundreds of Fine Black Boas and Muffs, formerly \$6,

Well-Made Cloaks at POPULAR PRICES.

AMONG THE BROKERS.

Trading Beavy in 'Frisco and Phillips a

Big Breaks-The General Market. The Mining Exchange market this morning resented two distinct features: Frisco and Phillips, and both at heavy declines. Frisco sold down to 142 and that was the best bid at the close. The impression seems to be that its epitaph is in order. Phillips also sold down, touching 10 cents, and was offered late at 9, with 81/2 as the best bid. The other stocks were at about prevailing figures.

The call showed more life this morning.

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Aztec	160	******	Maj Budd	164	174
Bi-Met	a college	*** 6.	Mex. Imp		221/2
Blk Oak	5	51/2	Mnt. Pler	434	50
Blk Spar .	*****	42	Mnt. Key		664
Bremen	******	3	Mnt. Lion	11	13
Buckskin.	21/2	2 4	M. Breen	821/2	85
Cariboo	*****	1	Neath	13	15
Cnt Silver		264		******	24
Cleveland Clv & Anh		41/2		814	247
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Ingram		*******	Slyr. Bell		
Ironclad			Tourtelt e	5	6
Ivanhoe	15	25	WGranite		8614
Jumbo	1/2	2	W. Patch		124
Keystone	2	4	Yuma .	4114	

The sales were only fair, being mostly in Frisco.

A young man named Greenough was caught in a clever fraud to-day. Last evening he went into the office of W. C. and J. C. Jones very good shape, and will make this dividend

There was considerable disposition to trade Intere was considerable disposition to trade in future stocks this morning. Major Budd had 18% bid buyer 60 days and was offered at 21% buyer 60; Silver Age was offered at 22.47% seller 60 days and Yuma at 45 seller 60. Cœur d'Alane was offered at 85 seller 30 days. There were also bids of West Granite, buyer different periods.

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'Frisco seems to have met its Waterloo finally. It sold down to 1½ this morning, and seemed to be in unlimited offering at about 2 and 2½ cents, with but few buyers. Nothing new in reference to it was known, but there was a report that the money for development was running short. It was later stated definitely that work would be shut down this evening, and steps taken to sell the property under the notes.

The sales were: On call—Black Oak, 400 at 5½; Central Sliver, 100 at 5½; and 100 at 25½. Cleveland and Anchor, 100 at 6½; and 100 at 60; Michael Breen, 100 at 63½; Fat Murphy, 400 at 2½, 500 at 2, and 1,500 at 1½; Sliver Age, 100 seller 60 days at \$2.42½. After call—Phillips, 200 at 14½; 100 at 11, 1,000 at 12½ and 1,200 at 10; Wire Patch, 2,000 at 12 and 2,000 at 12½.

The break in Phillips is what has been predicted by the brokers for some time, and it came without their assistance. They have always claimed that after three years' experience in working and a 50-stamp mill enable to pay running expenses the stock should not sell above 10 cents. By a gentlemen's agreement, withholding the stock, however, the market was run up to \$1.80 and held there because no stock could be brought out. This agreement is now broken, and from appearances a printing press seems to be in operation now, instead of a mill; the stock being offered without limit. One gentleman was heard of to-day, who, under this agreement, refused \$1.25 for 10,000 shares, but who is now selling at whatever he can get. This being the case the brokers wash their skirts clean of the deal.

demand for the stock comes from all sides. This morning 500 shares sold at 25, and that was bid for more.

Cleveland and Anchor gavs indication of soming into trading to-day. Late an offer of 2,000 shares was made, seller thirty days, at 80

The trust certificates market to-day was llows:

NOT DEAD, BUT SLEEPING.

Sarah Carter, an Old Drunkard, Revived on Morgue Slab. The Second District police last night sent to the Morgue a woman found on the pavement

at Ninth street and Aussell avenue. She was unidentified, quite old, poorly clad and very dirty. Phillip Pitzer, the Morgue watchman, received the woman, placed her on a slab in the dissecting-room, and returned to the office of the Morgue Superintendent to register the arrival. He had hardly taken his seat when he heard a noise in the dissecting-room. Supt. Praedicow arrived at about that time and with Pitzer entered the room where the woman had been lain. She was far from dead, and was sitting upright on the slab, yelling loudly. The frightened Morgue attendants called an ambulance and had her removed to the City Dispensary. She was recognized as Sarah Carter, an old offender against the drunk and disorderly ordinance. She had been so completely intoxicated that she appeared to be dead. Her fright on awakening in the Morgue, coupled with the drink, brought her to the verge of delirium and she was sent to the City Hospital for treatment.

Secretary Uhl Resigns.

Mr. Arthur Uhl, Secretary of the St. Loui Fair Association, has resigned his position to accept the treasurership of Bollman Bros. Musical Supply Co. Mr. Uhl has been con nected with the Fair Association for a number of years and has been secretary ever since Mr Festus Wade gave up the position severa years ago.



Calvary Cemetery.

AMUSEMENTS. OLYMPIC

Rice's PEARL OF PEKIN LOUIS HARRISON

60 ARTISTS Sunday Dec. 8—Mr. Barnes of New York. POPE'S - TO-NIGHT.

merica's Most Versatile Comedian, "PETE" BAKER,

In His Newly Reconstructed Musical Com CHRIS AND LENA. NOTICE. HAS BEEN APPOINTED ACENT FOR ST. LOUIS MUTUAL FIRE INS: CO.

OF CHICAGO. Mr. Slaughter alone has authority to transact any business for said Company in the City of St. Louis. All matters pertaining to the Company's business should be referred to him. Office, room 28, Republic Building. WILLIAM E. SMITH, Secretary. Chicago, December 4, 1889.

DIED.

BRAUN-LAURA M. BRAUN, daughter of Adolph and Emma Braum, born on the 25th of February, 1885, died this morning, at 3:30, of diph-

JULIA F., beloved wife of James F. Connell, and daughter of Patrick and Mary Hart, in the 28d year of her age.

Funeral from late residence, Friday, December 6, at 9:30 a. m., to St. Malachy's Church, thence to

FRANCKE-ANNIE M., beloved wife of August R Francke, at 11 o'clock a. m., December 4, after an illness of nearly ten months of softening of the brain, in her 46th year.

brain, in her 46th year.

Funeral from her late residence, 3672 Olive street,
to Bellefontains, on Friday, the 6th inst., at 1:30
p. m. Friends are invited to attend.

Lebanon (Pa.) papers please copy. HALPIN-Thursday. December 5, at 1 JAMES D. HALPIN. aged 40 years.

Funeral from the residence of his brother. 3602 Olive street., Friday, 6th, at 9 a.m., to St. Francis Xavier, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends in-vited to attend. TSCHEE—On Wednesday, December 4, at 10:48 a. m., Bannara, beloved wite of Joseph Tschee, aged 40 years and 5 months.

Funeral will take place from residence, 3924 Cote Brilliants avenue, on Friday, December 6, at 1:30 p. m. Friends and relatives are invited to attend.

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BRIDGE & BEACH MFG CO.

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AMUSEMENTS. **GRAND OPERA-HOUSE** RUSSELL'S COMEDIANS. :: THE CITY DIRECTORY, :-:

Constructed for Laughing Purposes On Sunday, December 8-Edwin Harrigan. **GRAND OPERA-HOUSE**

MR. EDWARD HARRIGAN. OLD LAVENDER and WADDY GOOGAN

at Ninth street and Russell avenue. She was unidentified, quite old, poorly clad and JOHN B. SLAUGHTER STANDARD THEATER. To-Night, Wednesday and Saturday Matiness.

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Employing only the best American and European
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Next week—THE NIGHT OWLS.

OLYMPIC. Commencing Sunday, December 8 A. C. GUNTER'S GREAT DRAMA, MR. BARNES OF NEW YORK,

Under the Management of
Mr. Frank W. Sanger, (Manager the Broadway Theater, New York.)
ORIGINAL COMPANY. SPECIAL SCENERY. PEOPLES' * THEATER.

To-night a Carnival of Fun.

FERGUSON & MACK'S

Great Comedy Company in a revelation "McCARTHY'S MISHAPS."



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That Is What the Police Do When They See the Laws Violated and Let the Offenders Go.

An Infamous and Unlawful Pub lication of Which the Police Take No Notice.

Chief of Pelice and the Record Shows dlers and Criminals Permitted to Dupe the Poor and Ignorant Under the Very Eyes of the Police Without Interference From the Authorities.

The Chief of Police shall be the commanding off cer of the entire police force, subject to the rules of the board and its orders. He shall devote his whole time and energy exclusively to the discharge of his duties AND SEE THAT ALL LAWS OF THE STATE AND ORDINANCES OF THE CITY ARE ENFORCED AS FAR AS POSSIBLE BY THE FORCE UNDER HIS COMMAND, AND ALL OFFENDERS REPORTED TO THE PROPER TRIBUNALS FOR TRIAL. He shall see that the rules prescribed by the board are strictly observed and enforced. All general orders issued by him shall be submitted to the board before ulgation. In cases of emergency he may issue orders, handle and dispose of the entire force of the city as he may deem necessary. reporting his action and the reason therefor to the board .- [Rule 19 of the manual governing the St. Louis Police Department.] Chief of Police Anton Heubler has violated

this rule. For two years he has seen the law prohibiting the publication of lottery advertisements violated without making a solitary attempt to punish the offenders. He has known the rule and seen the offenses. If he was arraigned before the Board of Police Commissioners he Ruchings, Laces and Odd Lots of Colcould make no possible defense, for he is guil-aty of too many and too open violations of the law laid down for him.

For ten years no Chief of Police has dared to leave such an opening in his official armor, no matter how friendly the Board of Police Commissioners might pretend to be.
What's the Matter New?

Chief of Police Huebler is ordinarily a careful officer. He has seen half a dozen chiefs decapitated for much less than what he is undeniably guilty of; already guilty beyond question of grossest negligence in this paricular, when stirred to activity he makes the lamest kind of an attack on the lottery crimi-

IS CHIEF OF POLICE HUEBLER OBEY. ING ORDERS THAT HAVE BEEN SECRET-LY GIVEN HIM SINCE THE PUBLIC Since that letter stir the police have ceased to make even a pretense of activity in the lottery cases and are now drifting along in the same easy-going way they used to travel though they know that they are violating their oaths and ought to be punished for it. The police pretended to prosecute the lottery man and the lottery advertisers, but the prosecutions and the arrests were only cloaks.

man and the lottery advertisers, but the prosecutions and the arrests were only cloaks,

THE "MANTLES OF PROTECTION"
which they threw over the criminals to shield them from punishment. The lottery men want protection from the law. They look to the police for it and they get it, and when they are tired being arrested they send out word that the arrests must stop, and the machinery of this big police force ceases to move. At the command of lottery men it stands still and motioniess.

Why has Chief Heubler discontinued raiding?

ing?

Why have the police made no attempt for a week to catch any of the hundred vendors who have been selling tickets daily and openly?

Each sale is a violation of the law, and it is just as much the duty of the Chief of Police to have the seller arrested as it is his duty to see that thieves and murderers are discovered

and caught.

In addition to the rule quoted from the manual, specific instructions have been given to arrest all violators of the lottery law, whether the violation consist of selling tickets, setting up lottery or advertising draw-

ings.
THIS ORDER LEFT NO DISCRETION
with the commanding officer of the force. It
was direct and plain, to arrest all offenders.
It has not been obeyed, it has been ignored,
it has been absolutely violated. It is well known that the commissioners

It is well known that the commissioners made that order for the purpose of shifting the responsibility to the shoulders of Chief Huebler. But the order of the board has been given no more consideration than if it had never been made, and the commissioners ask no questions. The commission only wanted to get the lottery business off their hands and they think they have succeeded. If their order is not obeyed they do not care. They are rid of the thing and that is all they want. And knowing this the police laugh at and ignore a positive order issued to them by the board.

What a farce the whole business is!

A man might manage his private business in that way if he chose, but it

When public officials in whose care is placed the safety of life and property, the enforcement of the laws of the State are so shamefully negligent and with such persistent determination refuse to interrupt a prohibited business or punish the men who carry it on. "He shall devote his whole time and energy exclusively to the discharge of his duties," is what the rule says of the Chief of Police.

He devotes none of his time and none of his energy to the duty of arresting violators of the lottery law who are known to be guilty of offenses.

A disreputable sheet publishes daily and A disreputable sheet publishes daily and

with

Suspicious Boldness

the advertisements of every known lottery.

As many as three separate offenses, so declared by Vice-President Overall, have been committed in one day and one at least every day. The police have seen these crimes committed, have the evidence, have no reason or excuse for not proceeding against the offender, yet, although the violations of the law have continued over a period of two years, they have only sworn out three warrants and having done that, under the pressure of public criticism, they seem to think they should let the criminals continue their crimes because three warrants have been sworn out.

As well lets a murderer continue to kill because he has been prosecuted for one offense.

Only yesterday this same disreputable street, the organ of the lotterles, contained another unlawful publication. Another net for the poor and ignorant who are led by these infamous advertisements to squander their received on a winding schemes. It aver a long poor and ignorant who are led by these infamous advertisements to squander their money on swinding schemes. It gave a long list of names, pretending to be the names of persons who had drawn prizes in a Southern lottery within the past few months. Its object was to excite the cupidity of the foolish, to lure on the poor with a prospect of a large reward and sudden wealth. It was one of the most infamous and criminal of all the offenses, yet the police, appointed and paid to protect citizens from just such rassals by enforcing the laws sit quietly by, and by their silence give countenance to such unlawful acts, frauds that are worse than thefts. The officials who permit such gross and flagrant violations of the law under their very eyes and do nothing are party to the crime, and are guilty at least of compounding crime. obuntenance to such unlawful acts, frauds that are worse than thefts. The officials who parmit such gross and flagrant violations of the isw under their very eyes and do nothing are party to the crime, and are guilty at least of compounding crime.

It is their duty to punish the offenders, and hely know it is their duty, yet they neglect and refuse to arrest these criminals and give their sanction to a swindle that robs the poor to carried the rascals.

THE WORLD'S PAIR.

"What about the World's Fair, and the changes of St. Louis Pair, and the changes of St. Louis Pair.

"I have carefully watched what has been done, and believe that St. Louis has as good a chance as any city. I was more than pleased at the energy and generosity manipleased at the energy and members of the Executive Committee. St. Louis certainly decent and unusurious service.

Tickes office corner Fifth and Chestuut streets and Union Depot.

CRIME COMPOUNDED A SWEEPER OF A SALE TO-MORROW AT

We have Real Astonishers for all the people in Bargains that are Realities. We never fool the public. A complete Sacrifice and Loss made on all Remnants and Odds and Ends. We will clear every piece out to-morrow. Be sure you get your share of the Bargains.

SLAUGHTERED DRESS GOODS.

All remnants of dress goods go at half price. Half wool remnants from 5c per yard and up. Remnants of double fold all-wool goods from Isemmants of double fold all-wool goods from 15c per yard and up. See to-morrow double-fold cheviots at 10c per yard; worth 20c, A great variety of yard wide, half-wool fab-ries, all at 15c per yard, and worth from 25 to 35c.

One lot of 54-inch ladies' cloth goes at 35c per yard; reduced from 50c.

A splendid bargain in 40 and 42-inch all wool French diagonals, serges and cashmeres, with novelty side bands, all at 35c per yard, and worth from 50 to 75c.

STRUCK BARGAINS IN HOSIERY.

Odds and ends at next to no price. 250 dozen Ladies' Wool Hose Yarn, dyed, at 250 dozen Ladies' Wool Hose Yarn, dyed, at 15c per pair: former price, 25c.
200 dozen Ladies' fine imported, full regular made Cotton Hose, spliced soles and French toes, all at 15c per pair; a regular 25c hose.
200 dozen Children's all-wool ribbed, full regular made Hose, 5, 5½ and 6, at 10c per pair; 6½ and 7, at 15c per pair; 7½, 8 and 8½, at 20c per pair. This lot is a net haif price lot. Remnants and Odds and Ends of Do-

mestics Cheap.

Remnants of Brown and Bleached Muslins from 342c per yard. Odd lengths of Sheetings at half price.

Remnants and Odd Lots of Calicoes, Ginghams and Cheviots Cheap. Going at Less Than Half Price.

Remnants of Calicoes at 21/2c per yard; of Dress Ginghams at 5c per yard; of Cheviots at

lars at Almost No Price.

We must have its room for Holiday Good There are bargains in it for you. Remnants and Odd Lots of Flannels at Half Price and Less.

White Shaker Flannels at 5c per yard. Rem-nants of All Wool Scarlet and Navy Blue Twill Flannel at 15c per yard.

Our Usual Kid Glove Bargains

To-morrow and equal bargains in all departments; you will be pleased with the bargains. Remnants and Odd Lots of Crash and Table Linen at Half Price.

Remnants of Linen Crash from 242c per yard. Remnants of Table Linen from 1242c per yard. Odd Lots of Towels cheap.

Ribbons Remnants Almost Given Away.

Manufacturers' short lengths, finest all-silk novelty goods made. Nos. 22 to 40, all at 15c per yard; worth from 40c to 75c.

Fancy Ribbons, Nos. 7 to 16, all at 5c per yard.

No. 9, all silk, satin and gros-grain crown edge; all at 10c per yard, full line of shades.

Holiday Goods Now on Sale. Dolls of all kinds; Plush Goods of all kinds; Perfumery in Fancy Art Bottles; Art Goods of all kinds; Story Books for children; Games for children; Jewelry; etc., etc., etc.

An Immense Stock of Handkerchiefs. All the latest novelties in Linen Handker-chiefs of every kind and sort made. Special bargain, 250 dozen gents hem-stitched fancy printed borders at 5c each. 250 dozen ladies' hemstitched embroidered in four corners at 84sc each.

Silk Handkerchiefs and Mufflers.

Childrens' Lace Collars at 2½c each. Ruchings at 1c per yd. Laces at 1c per yd.

To astonish you the prices we will close up the balance of the manufacturer's stock of Ladies' Muslin Underwear Now on Sale.

A large stock of Chinese, Japanese, American, English, French and German goods. We offer all slik cream brocaded full size Muffers at 75c each and worth \$1.25.

Bargains in all departments to-morrow. Special Bargain Day Friday.

W.I.M'ARTHUR1520, 1522, 1524, 1526 Franklin Avenue.

JOHN W. NOBLE ARRIVES.

THE SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR REACHES THE CITY THIS MORNING.

A Flying Trip to Attend to His Private Busi ness, and to Revisit His Former Home-Noble on the President's Message and



HIS morning John W. Noble, Secretary of the Interior, arrived in the city on the early train from Washington and at once drove to the Lindell Hotel. Gen. Noble was entirely alone and his arrival was known to but very few. He

was assigned to parlors 10 and 11 on the first or and there received such of his friends as were aware of his presence in the city. GEN. NOBLE'S APPEARANCE.

A representative of the POST-DISPATCH called upon Gen. Noble to ascertain the object of his visit to this city. The cares of office have apparently sat very light upon the Secretary of the Interior. His face is fresh, his nair and beard show as few streaks of gray as when he left St. Louis to take charge of the Interior portfolio; his step is as light and

as erect and soldierly as it ever was, and he has made a slight gain of avoirdupois. In fact, there has been little change in the appear. there has been little change in the appearance of the Secretary of the Interior since he left his law office in this city to become one of the to become one of the

most important members Secretary Noble. of the Administration, and such change as there is, appears to have been for the better A BUSINESS VISIT.

"What is the object of your visit, Gen Noble?" "Simply to attend to my private business and to get a rest. I left here with a great many matters unsettled, and have for several months been looking for an opporseveral months been looking for an oppor-tunity to return. On several occasions I thought that I could get off, but found that it was impossible. I hoped to have reached here in time for the decennial celebration of Blair Post, which took place last Saturday night, but I could not get away until after the meeting of Congress. When I did leave I was as quiet as possible about it and few knew of my intention. My visit has no public signifi-cance, being only to attend to my private business."

THE POLITICAL SITUATION.
"How was the President's message received?"
"Very well, indeed. As far as I can judge all who express their real feelings consider it a most statesmanlike and well-considered document, and it has given very great satisfaction." What is the feeling among the Republicans

"What is the feeling among the Republicans in Congress?"

"They are enthusiastic and united. There is nothing like dissension or quarreling in the party, but all stand firmly together, and will not allow themselves to be divided by anything that may arise. The majority on the Republican side of the House is small, but it is enough and can be relied upon."

"Oan you say anything about the contest for the St. Louis Postmastership?"

"That is not in my department," said Noble with a laugh, "and I can say nothing about it."

not feel at liberty to speak as freely as I would like to, but can say that I am as much a friend of St. Louis as I ever was, and will do as much for it as in former times. It is delightful to me to see the old place again. I have never wavered in my affection for St. Louis, and never shall."

Gen. Noble declined to discuss appointments in his own or any other department, or details of any kind. As to the political situation he expressed himself as confident of Republican success in the future.

As soon as the presence of the Secretary of the Interior became known in Grand Army circles preparations for tendering him a grand reception were inaugurated. At 8 o'clok tomorrow night Blair Post, of which Gen. Noble was formerly commander, will hold a special meeting in his honor, to which comrades of all other posts have been invited.

The monthly meeting of the Loyal Legion will be held at the Lindell Hotel on Saturday night, and Gen. Noble, who is a companion, will attend. He will not leave the icity until Sunday night, and may remain longer. Among his earliest callers were J. O. Churchill, John C. Orrick, D. P. Dyer, S. Mansfield, Sol Boehm, Nelson Cole, W. R. Hodges, C. H. Christiansen and Thos. B. Rodgers.

Russell B. Harrison arrived in the city from Indianapolis this morning and registered at the Lindell. He stated that his visit is purely a business one. In the course of the day he called upon the Secretary of the Interior and had a long conversation with him.

had a long conversation with him. Great Rock Island Route

The direct, favorite and best from St. Lonia via Kansas City to all points in Southern Nebrasks, Kansas, Colorado and the Indian Ter Close connections in Union Depot at Kansas City with solid vestibule expres trains (daily) going through without change to Denver, Colorado Springs and Pueblo These trains carry Pullman palace sleeper and free reclining chair cars, warmed by steam from the locomotive, and equipped with every improvement conducive to safety and comfort Choice of routes via Denver to Salt Lake City, Helena, Portland and San Francisco. Daily trains with Pullman sleeper to Wichit and free reclining chair cars to Kingfisher in Oklahoma. For through tickets, berth reservations, or further information, apply to G. D Bacon, General Agent Passenger Department, 106 North Fourth street, St. Louis, Mo.

JNO. SEBASTIAN. General Ticket and Passenger Agent. E. St. JOHN, General Manager.

SCHOOL NEWS

Testimonial Presented to Mr. Koenig-Boiler Controversy.

The employes in the Secretary's and Superintendent's offices of the School Board presented a very elegant testimonial to Mr. Willlam Koenig, the retiring member from the Sixth District, yesterday. The testimonial was executed by a well-known local expert and was a sample of the perfection of the penman's art. Mr. Koenig was very popular with the board's employes,

on retiring from the office he sent beautiful baskets of flowers to both the Secretary's and Superintendent's offices as tokens of his appreciation of the assistance they had given him in the performance of his duties as Chairman of the Ways and Means Committee. A sub-committee of the Building Committee went out to the Compton School-house this

A sub-committee of the Building Committee went out to the Compton School-house this morning for the purpose of examining the new furnace recently put in that building. The sub-committee appointed to wait on Boiler Inspector McClellan will report to the Building Committee at the meeting to morrow evening. The members of the Building Committee are not a little wrought up over some of the statements which Capt. McClellan has been making in regard to the management of boilers in the school houses by janitors. They say the janitors are thoroughly instructed and understand their business well enough to preclude all probability of accident. They say it is ridiculous to think that they can secure first-class engineers to run the

Big Four and New York Central Railways. THE SOUTHWESTERN LIMITED,

REMNANT RGAIN

TO·MORROW (FRIDAY) AT

When, as every Friday of the year, we put on sale BETTER Bargains in

Remnants

and Special Lots

Than offered by any house in the

CRAND LOT OF BARGAINS TO-MORROW

In Remnants of Dress Goods, Silks, Table Linens, Calicoes, Ginghams, Cotton Flannels, Flannels, etc., etc. Be early to secure first choice.

At 3c-Ladies' Linen Cape Collars, Bargain Day, Friday, 8c; regular price, 15c.

At 10c-Children's Knit Skirts, Bargain Day, Friday, 10c; regular price, At 10c Germantown Yarn, best qual-

ity, Bargain Day, Friday, 10c; regular price, 20c. At 13c-Large size Scrap Book, Bar-

gain Day, Friday, 18c; regular price, 25c. At 15c-Ladies' fleece-lined Hose, in colors, Bargain Day, Friday, 15c;

regular price, 35c. At 22c-Stamped Linen Dresser Scarfs, knotted fringe, Bargain Day,

Friday, 22c; regular price, 35c. At 25c-Plush Autograph Albums with nickel monogram, Bargain Day, Friday, 25c; regular price, 40c.

At 25c-Plush Work Boxes, Bargain Day, Friday, 25c; regular price 45c.

A GREAT DEAL OF WIND.

THE ENGLISH BREWERY SYNDICATES GEN-

ERALLY WILD AND VISIONARY.

Unauthorized-The St. Louis Deal Em-

more—What a Brewery Must Earn—Value

HETHER or not an

English syndicate will

ever come into posses

ble portion of the

stock of the St. Louis

Brewing Association,

dated brewerles, noth-

from them since they

left the city several

days ago with the

statement that they

had secured what they

wanted. Secretary

Philip Stock of the as

sociation, when asked

this morning if there

was any indication of the position of the En-glish purchasers, said he had heard nothing

"The best and the clearest statement that I

have had or seen in reference to these so-call-

J. Tovey, editor of the Brewers' Journal, New York, the official journal of the United States

Brewers' Association and of the various local associations. Mr. Tovey is in a splendid po altion to know what is going on. He says: "The financial season being fairly opened there is a renewal of activity among the

RESPONSIBLE AND IRRESPONSIBLE

American brewery shares occupy a large share of the attention of speculators and investors; and there is no little interest in the

United States in the operations of the capitalists, promoters and schemers, pure and

simple, all of whom expect to make a for-tune selling breweries. The former, how-

ever, have the least to say, and, as a genera thing, the first notice that is given of their

operations is the announcement of the actual transfer of the property. The flying rumors of syndicates, big deals, etc., so liberally fed to the public press, and dished up for the benefit of the people with startling headlines, are merely all the work of the irresponsible.

ed syndicates," said Mr. Stock, is by A. E.

and knew nothing about them.

At 21-2c—Perfumed Sachet Bags, in all colors, Bargain Day, Friday, 2½c; regular price, 5c.

At 25c—Ladies' and Gents' All-linen Initial Handkerchiefs, Bargain Day, Friday, 25c; regular price, 5c.

regular price, 75c.

At 48c—Plush Albums, nickel shield, half cabinet size, half

regular price, 90c.

At 48c—Gents' Camel's Hair
Shirts and Drawers, Bargain
Day, Friday, 48c; regular price,

At 50c—Gents' Japanese Silk 12 inch Hemstitched Initial Hand-

kerchiefs, Bargain Day, Friday, 50c; regular price, 75c.

At 68c—Plush Toilet Sets, with celluloid fittings, Bargain Day, Friday, 68c; regular price, \$1.

At 79c—Ladies' black silk Mitts,

embroidered back, Bargain Day, Friday, 79c; regular price, \$1.25. At \$1.15—26-inch Twilled Silk Umbrellas, silver handles,

slightly imperfect, Bargain Day, Friday, \$1.15; regular price, \$2 At \$1.69—26-inch Twilled Silk Umbrellas, silver handles, Bargain Day, Friday, \$1.69; regular price, 50c.

At \$1.65—20 Goatskin Rugs, 2 yards long, Bargain Day, Friday, \$1.69; regular price, \$2.50.

At \$1.65—20 Goatskin Rugs, 2 yards long, Bargain Day, \$1.65; regular price \$2.50.

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element, and the men who frequently lay

claim to be negotiators of deals in which

millions are the smallest figures, are as often

IN SORE STRAITS

for the wherewithal to defray current ex-

penses. While baseless canards have thus

een more than ever numerous of late, actual

sales have been limited. The jestablishments

of the John Orth Brewing Co., Minneapolis,

Minn., and the John Gund Brewing Co., La

Crosse, Wis., which were jointly purchased for capitalization, constitute the only addi-

tion we can make to our list of bona fide pur-

chases. It is also reported that options have

been given on the F. J. Dewes Brewery Co.,

Darley Park, the Bay View and the Mount

breweries, Boston. These are the only reli-

he Keeley Brewing Co., L. C. Huck

as not .

Dress Trimmings.

ular price, 40c.

At 39c—Ladies' black spun silk
Hose, Bargain Day, Friday, 39c;

small, Bargain Day, Friday, 48c; 4c each.

At 19c per set—Colored Braid Sets, regular price 50c to 95c, Bargain Day, Friday, 19c At 35c per dozen—Best Turkish Bath Soap, regular price 60c, Bargain Day, Friday, 35c dozen

At lo.

At 10c per yard—Pattern Braid Gimp, 2 to 5 inches wide, regular price \$1, Bargain Day, Friday, 10c

At 4c each—Colored Bead Ornaments, 5 inches deep, regular price 10 to 20c, Bargain Day, Friday, only

Paper best American Pins,
Bottle Levison & Blythe's Blue Black Ink,
Children's Elastic Garter,
Paper best steel point Hairpins,
Best Rubber Tip Lead Pencils,
Horn Dressing Combs,
Horn Fine Combs,
Japanese Fans, Note Books,
Bone and Steel Crochet Hooks,
Dores Weights, Thimbles,
Best Twill Black and White Cotton Tape,
3-inch Rubber Hairpins,
Card Hooks and Eyes,
Card Safety Pins.

doz. Willow Doll Buggies, large such; never blue or red with parasol top to match; never sold for less than \$1.25.

Bargain Day Price 850

Bargain Bays-a new

one make Lattice with the man and many material violet according to the meet according the use of glass globe; a perfect article; would be cheap at \$2.50.

Bargain Day Price \$1.00 gross Children's fine China Decorated Tea

Sets; 18 pieces in fancy box. A 50c article.

Bargain Day Price 25c

Dolls! Dolls!

Bargain Day Price 25c

500 genuine French Kid Body Dolls, French Bisque head, moving eves or turning head; shoes and stockings; 17 inches long. Regular price \$1.50.

Bargain Day Price 83e

Co., George Bullen & Co., Chicago; and the on our table a very attractive little volume

BARGAINS IN EVERY DEPARTMENT ALL DAY FRIDAY.

PENNY & GENT

S. W. Corner

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Broadway and Franklin Av.

A PROJECTED UNION

the Knights of Labor and the Farmers' Alliance. Last night General Master Workman Terence

at the Laclede. He was accompanied by A. W. Wright of Toronto, Canada, a member of the Executive Council, In reply to a question purpose of consultation with the Farmers convention how in session in reterence to a federation. A union is not contemplated, at least for the present, as it would be unadvisable. A union would mean one set of officers, and this cannot be considered at present. Our officers are not sufficiently familiar with their systems and wants to act for them, nor are their officers able to act for us. But we may be able to enter into an acreement by which the two and wants to act for them, nor are their offloers able to act for us. But we may be able
to enter into an agreement by which the two
labor bodies could combine for the advancement of the interests of the laboring man. We
have no present intention of putting a complete national toket in the field, but of course
political action, both State and national, to
secure justice is necessary. The farmers
and agricultural laborers represent a
constituency more than four times as numerous as the Knights of Labor, but this
need prove no bar, as the organizations can
easily be kept entirely distinct, each preserying its autonomy as long as deemed advisable. A joint board, composed of delegates
from both branches of laboring men, to decide questions of common interest has been
recommended. At present nothing has been
recommended. At present nothing has been
recommended. As a we are here to find out what
the convention now in session will do toward
effecting a union. As to the land question
as est forth by Henry George, the views of
the Knights of Labor were set forth in the resolutions adopted at the Atlanta convention.
We do not advocate a single tax, as no one
can tell whether enough would be produced
by this for the needs of the Government until
the experiment is tried. But we believe that
the unearned increment should go to the people and that land should be taxed irrespectlive of the buildings on it, which are the
product of industry."

The Eliot Society of the Church of the Mes The E hot society of the Church of the Mes-siah last night discussed women. Mrs. Maria Johnson read a paper on "Woman in Love." E. W. Pattison's paper was "Woman in Sociology." Mrs. Arthur Mosher discussed "Woman in Matrimony." The discussed following involved Rev. John Snyder, Mrs. C. L. Stone, Mrs. E. P. Johnson, Mrs. Chas. L. Moss, Mrs. Wm. | Ware and J. E. McKeighan.

A Working Girls' Self-Culture Club was ganized in the rooms of the South Side Wo-ingmen's Self-Culture Club, 2004 South Bro way, last night. E. N. Plank gave an ill trated talk on the Yosemite Valley. Anot meeting will be hadd next Wednesday ev-

brewerles, Boston. These are the only reli-able reports of sales to date, but wild rumor has many more on record, differing only in the degree of their baselessness. We may particularly refer to the sensational yarn of the sale of the also humor and rhyme well illustrated. A particularly refer to the sensational yarm of the sale of the

except the establishments of Anheuser-Busch and W. J. Lemp, concerning which we are informed by the highest authority that there is not a word of truth in it. The equally widely circulated reports of the sale of the Crescent Brewing Co., Aurora, Ind., and the Jung Brewing Co., Cincinnati, are just as emphasically denied by those in the best position to know the facts. All these bogus sales and rumors of a similarly unauthorized character, some of which have even formed the subject of extensive advertising schemes in London financial circles, may be traced to the activity which offer is set forth therein. The little book is the annual St. Jacobs Oll Calendar for 1889-90, which is in every way as good as the best published in this line and is gotter out in the interest of The Great Remedy for Pain, St. Jacobs Oil, and the other valuable specifics for the cure of disease, which THE CHARLES A. VOGELER Co., Baltimore, Md., the publishers and proprietors, have placed some of which have even formed the subject of extensive advertising schemes in London financial circles, may be traced to the activity of irresponsible and usually entirely unauthorized promoters. Their medna operandist to get some ewners of brewing property to quote them an optional price for the purchase of their interests, and this constitutes their capital. It is promptly transmitted to the London end of the concern, where a glowing prospectus, usually based on garbied statements, is issued and the business peddled around London financial circles.

LUCK OR ACCIDENT being relied upon to bring about a sale out of which the original projectors make a 'stake.' Or, in place of taking any risk, they sell the information the brewer has furnished them outright to some concern having the means to conduct a negotiation. In view of this explanation of these methods, brewers will readily recognize the foolishness of giving any information concerning their business to parties of whose financial standing they are not absolutely assured.'''

Mr. Tovey has taken a great deal of interest in the operation of English syndicates in brewery properties in this country, and is one of the best posted men connected with the business on this subject. He gives the following, on brewerse already purchased and in operation under the English management, as THE LONDON PRICES:

Par Value London shares. on the market. These great remedies are by to be found at druggists and dealers for free two-cent stamp to the publishers. BOTEL PERSONALS.

tou
Milwaukee Cream City.
New York Breweries Co
Schoenhafen, Chicago.
United States, Albany, Newark and
New York
Volght, Detroit
Washington Albert Carry

There are still, Mr. Tovey says, opportunities to sell breweries, but their owners must show a net income of not less that 12 per cent on the price at which they are offered, and a steady increase of business with the same rates of profits for the previous two or three years.

With the compliments of the season, we find

which contains very many useful items of in-

formation, besides the novelty of a large col-

lection of autographs of prominent men, and

W. J. Craig, Pittsburg; H. G. Armitage, Chicago; F. M. Wright, New York; D. S. Dickey, Chicago, and E. J. Wils, New York, are at the Lindell. W. B. Colyer, Cape Girardeau, Mo.; F. P. Beard, Bismarck, Mo.; Chas. Reed, Wells-

M. J. Cassidy, New York; J. D. Wood, Westport, Conn.; D. T. Jones, Chicago; A. D. Mast, New York; P. E. Brady, Tiffin, O., and T. M. Orr, Omaha, are at the Southern.

Wm. Wall, New York; W. H. Philips, Car-thage, Mo.; T. F. Dunaway, Chicago, and D M. Burroughs, Taylorville, Ill., are at the Laclede.

BEFORE OUR REMOVAL

The following represent only a few of the lots of CARPETS and CURTAINS which we will offer to-morrow and Saturday at

87 patterns TAPESTRY BRUSSELS CARPETS, at 65c and 75c per yard. Sold elsewhere every day at 90c and \$1. 63 patterns Extra Body Brussels Carpets at 87%c and up to \$1 per yard. Reduced from \$1.25 and \$1.35.

98 rolls 2-ply Kidderminster Carpets at 60c. and 65c. These are the best qualities manufactured, and sell the country

78 rolls 2-ply ingrains at 40c and 50c per yard. Regular selling price, 60c and 255 rolls Wilton, Moquette and Wilton

Velvet Carpets, at prices far below manufacturers' cost.

135 extra quality Smyrna Hearth Rugs at \$2.75. Reduced from \$4.25. 178 extra quality Smyrna Hearth Rugs at

\$2.15. Reduced from \$3.75. 450 Manufacturers' Samples, Wilton, Velvet and Brussels, from one to two yards long, suitable for Hearth Rugs, Mats and various other purposes, at LESS THAN ONE-HALF THE

ORIGINAL COST. Hundreds of other grades of Carpets, Rugs, Mats, etc., to close out at

Less Than Cost!

reduced prices. Housekeepers can find scores of articles in our Carpet and Curtain Departments, which will decorate their homes, AT ABOUT HALF PRICE. COME and SEE THEM.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

We have received during the past few days a large line of ORIENTAL CARPETS and RUGS, comprising some of the most beautiful effects ever imported, and we invite all who admire choice specimens of Oriental work to call and see these goods. They range in price from \$15.00 to \$400.00 each. Could you purchase a Christmas Present which would prove more useful, more beautiful or more acceptable?

MUST STATE THE OBJECT.

WHY THE "SPOKANE CLUB" OF ST. LOUIS CANNOT BE A CHARTERED BODY.

The Secretary of State Declines to Issue Certificate of Incorporation to the Association Because the Objects of the Organization Are Not Specifically Set Forth

-How Such Bodies May Receive the Countenance of the State.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH. JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Dec. 5 .- The following letter from the Secretary of State to Ford B. Smith of St. Louis relating to chartering of club rooms explains itself:

STATE OF MISSGURI,
DEPARTMENT OF STATE,
CITY OF JEFFERSON, Dec. 3, 1889.
DEAR SIR-I regret I am compelled to return
herewith the articles of association of the
"Snokane Club." with inclosure of 22, and to

The pro forma decree of your Circuit Court attached to these articles, testifying that they are within such purview, renders me the more reductant to decline filling them, but I deem my duty in the matter so plain that I have no other recourse. The objects of the proposed corporation, asset forth in art. 3 of its articles of agreement, are as follows: "The objects of this association or club shall be to furnish to its membership, composed of citizens of St. Louis, facilities for mental culture, social and literary intercourse and entertainments, musical, literary and other rational and educational amusements and to that

of St. Louis, facilities for mental outture, social and literary intercourse and entertainments, musical, literary and other rational and educational amusements and to that end, to establish and maintain within the city of St. Louis a club room or club rooms, provided with a reading-room and library, and such accommodations as will insure to its members during the intervals of business the means for mental, literary and social improvement and enjoyment, and to provide such accommodations in the way of refreshments as are usual in such clubs or societies."

With these purposes in view, under what provision of art. 10, chap. 21, Revised Statutes 1879, does this association propose to become a body politic, and corporate? If under sec. 974, then it must have a purpose specifically authorized by said section, and no amount of glittering generalities as to mental culture, literary intercourse, incidental library and refreshments will meet requirements of the law. Sec. 974 provides for the incrporation of any association formed for benevolent purposes, any purely charitable society, hospital, asylum, house of refuge, reformatory, elemosynary institution; any association formed for provide for some good in the order of benevolence that is useful to the public; any association formed for religious purposes; to provide and maintain a cemetery, school, college, institute, academy or other associations formed for educational or scientific purposes." It should be observed that those purposes are specific, not general, and are intended to provide for such associations formed for educational or scientific purposes." It should be observed that those purposes are specific, not general, and are intended to provide for such associations formed for the law proceeds to specify with emphasis, "including any association formed pecially to promote intellectual culture in any branch or department," and it is clear that the department or branch should be specific in the name and design, not merely a pleasure club vith incidental

lectual culture in any branch or department." and it is clear that the department or branch should be specific in the name and design, not merely a pleasure club with incidental features of intellectual culture, establishing a museum, library, not a club-room with incidental library, art gallery, or the erection of a public monument.

Then the section closes with the provision which to my mind has been singularly mis construed. Generally any association, soci-

275 pairs Guipure Nottingham Lace Cur-

325 pairs New Style Nottingham Lac

5 pairs Irish Point Lace Curtains, one

7 pairs Madras Crepe Curtains, broken

5 pairs Brussels Lace Curtains, broken

325 pairs Fine Chenille Portiere Curtains.

225 pairs extra quality Portiere Curtains,

Fringes, Table Covers, Fancy Scarfs, Up-

\$5 and \$6 per pair; former prices, \$10

ranging in price from \$15 to \$35 per

pair; all of them choice goods; worth

holstery Goods of all kinds, at greatly

two and three pair of a pattern, at

Curtains, from \$4 to \$7; former prices,

tains at \$3.50; former price, \$6.

from \$6 to \$10.

one-half regular prices.

lots, at half-price.

lots, at half-price.

double the price asked.

and \$12.

tagesto the whole public as to be a necessity of the community. There are no club-rooms provided for in this section of the law. But if the Spokane Club proposes to become incorporated under sec. 983, let us ascertain the provisions and conditions of that section, which is in words and figures as follows: 983, let us ascertain the provisions and conditions of that section, which is in words and figures as follows:

"Any association formed for the purpose of establishing a gymnasium or club house, or for promoting boating, field sports or other rational amusements, or for any other purpose not excluded by section 978, lawful in itself and not otherwise specially provided for, may also, by complying with sections 970 and 971, become a body corporate and politic, and under this article shall possess the rights and privileges, and be subject to the limitations and requirements herein provided, so far as the same are applicable thereto."

The very fact of the existence of this section in article 10, chapter 21, is evidence that there was any authority in section 974 for the linear porticle 10, chapter 21, is evidence that there was any authority in section 974 for the linear porticle 10 of 10 club, out of 8t. Louis, that this section, in so far as it permits the associations named in it to incorporate under sections 970 and 971 and without paying the tax imposed by section 708 is in conflict with sec. 21, art. 10, of the State Constitution. The statute and the Constitution have but to be read together to show that they are inconsistent with each other.

The constitution says, in terms which are unbistakable, that no corporation, company or association other than those formed for benevolent, religious, scientific or educational purposes shall be created or organized uniess certain fees are paid. Sec. 983, under discussion, provides that any association formed for the purpose of establishing a gymnasium or club-house, or for promoting boating, field sports or other rational amusements, etc. many incorporate without the payment of such fees. As Judge Fisher declared in his opinion in the case of the Fair Club, that these sections are in conflict is too plain for doubt or argument, and it follows as a matter of course that so much of this section of the statute as authorizes the incorporation of sessociations not for rel

thorizes the incorporation of associations not for religious, scientific, educational or benev-olent purposes, without payment of the fees required by this section of the constitution is void. for religious. scientific, educational or benevolent purposes, without payment of the fees required by this section of the constitution is void.

It is evident to my mind that the objects and purposes of your proposed corporation are neither bonevolent, religious, scientific or educational, in any specific degree, within the meaning of those terms as used and intended in the exceptions mentioned in Sec. 23, Art. 10, of the State constitution, hence it cannot avail itself of the detailed provisions of Section 974, RS. 1879, or of the unconstitutional provisions of section 983 in order to secure incorporation under article X, chapter 21 It is plainly not tormed specifically to do or accompilish anything contemplated by section 974, for even its literary purposes are social and its educational designs are confined to such mental culture as results from social meetings, and it cannot be incorporated under sec. 983, as that is clearly in violation of the Constitution. In short, the Constitution did not intend to authorize the incorporation of pleasure clubs without the payment of tax, nor does the law extend to club rooms or the furnishing of refreshments in a reading room or library as being in any sense benevolent, religious, educational or scientific.

It is a plain principal of law that the leading purpose of an association should govern in the consideration of its incorporation. What is fhe leading purpose of the Spokane Club? Plainly to "establish and maintain within the city of St. Louis a club-room or club rooms to which shall be incidentally attached a reading room, library, and accommodations for refreshments. There is no authority in article 10, chapter 21, for the establishment of a club room which has merely incidental privileges in the way of reading-room or library, and certainly none for serving refreshments, no matter how much facility such service may be declared to the teby furnish for mental culture, or social and literary intercourse is without authority of law in this state.

Under my oath of o

There is no occasion for waiting until after the holidays to get a bargain in Cloaks. We have taken the bull by the horns and conclude to inaugurate our

Clearing Sale of NEWMARKETS

at once, the continued warm weather having left us with an immense stock. We will have no leaders, but every Newmarket is reduced to cost and in many instances to even less. Those desirous of getting a fine and useful Christmas Present at a very low price, should take advantage of this opportunity.

Cloak Department, Broadway and Morgan.

A SHADOW ON HER LIFE.

TOUCHING STORY OF WOMAN'S LOVE AND MAN'S HYPOCRISY.

n English Schoolgirl's Blind Infatuation for a Worthless Adventurer Leads to Years of Misery-Fancied Persecutions, Worse Than Real, Driving a Wronged Woman to the Madbouse.



no less because conjured up out of her imagination. years as strange

you could find in a novel-a story of love, abandonment and an imagined punishment

Among the passengers on the outgoing teamer Furnessia yesterday were two goodlooking women, mistress and maid. They were down on the passen-ger list as Mrs. H. Cobbett and person in the prime of life. She was solidly knit together and looked upon the world through a pair of large blue eyes that had ing yet. She was neatly dressed in a close in excellent circumstances. When she spoke it was with a marked English accent, de-She was self-possessed, but very nervous in her appearance that she was in the slightest degree unbalanced mentally. On all subjects but one, indeed, she was thoroughly sane. and was what she looked—a thoroughly equipped woman of the world, a woman who had traveled much and knew how to take care of herself. She did not look like the mother of a boy of 18. Her maid, a shrewd and sen-sible appearing girl, was very solicitous of her welfare. She had reason to be, as the fol-

HER LIFE STORY. when, a score of years ago, she fied from a school in England and came to America with a man who was known as Montgomery Carlisle. He had told a pretty story-how he was one of the great Carto a fortune; how he was an officer in the Thirteenth Hussars—a heavy swell in his language, who promised in good time to make her his wife. They lived with a Miss Carey, a milliner at No. 28 East Twentyeighth street, next door to the handsome E glish actor, Harry Montague, of Wallacks

WOMAN'S LOVE AND OCERSY.

Was by playing billiards at night, "she said. "Soon I began to find what a mistake 1 had made. but I was young and loved him and clung to him. I found that his great pretensions were frauds, his estates myths, and there I was in London, alone and poor, \$000 miles from my children. At length I got a chance to go on the stage. William Toung, a nephew of the 'Caste' Co. gave me an engagement at the Royal Theater in Sheffield, and I played in 'Alladin' under the name of 'Hazel Carlisle.' My salary was £2 a week. He followed me to Sheffield, and we lived on that salary till the season ended, and I was out of work again. We went back to London, and he got me to borrow £25 of a kind-hearted wine merchant, with which we furnished a home, and—but I tell to what degradation I descended to support him. "One day a friend of his said to him: 'Frank, why have you not told Hazel your proper name?' 'Frank?' said I. 'Why, yes, Frank Manley Cobbett. There is no need to hide it any longer.'

"And then he admitted that this was his name. I was not his wife under the laws of England, though I was under those of the United States. I could do nothing anyway."

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SENT ADRIFT.

Six or seven years ago the inevitable came to pass. Montgomery, or Frank grew weary of her and sent her to the United States ostensibly to visit her father. His prospects were limproving and he had fallen in love with a French girl, whom he married. Hazel had no legal hold upon him, but it looks as if he still had a soft spot for her in his heart. But her love abided. Her father, who is a metallurgist of standing in Denver, and a gentleman of high repute, had invented a valuable lubricant for machinery, and Hazel taking out letters patent, travelled through the country with it. She proved to be a good business woman and made money with the lubricant, lived well, dressed well and educated her boy in fine style. Not only in America, but in England she had a market for her mixture. She did business under the style of Mrs. H. Cobbett, the name which she now carries. If her mind had been free she might have made a fortune.

But the shadow was on her life. The worm was in the bud. The wages of her past sin were yet to be paid. There began to come into her dreams a varue, haunting suspicion that she was being driven on to the sharp rocks of destruction. She thought the man she had loved and who had deserted her was bent on running her. She had heard, or thought she had, that his partner had said he would spend £80,000 to ruin her; that she had been proclaimed to the officers of Scotland Yard and Mulberry street as an imbeelle and a woman of bad character; that the ears of her customers were being poisoned against her; that an attempt was on foot to shuther up in an asylum for the insane; that men were set to dog and jostie her in the streets.

She hired a private detective to shadow him and made up her mind that he had sold out to the other side. The very maid who salled with her she accuses of being in league with her persecutors. Up at the St. James Hotel, where she has been s

down my business. They are breaking me down."

PURSUED BY A PHANTOM.

Poor creature. Tongue cannot tell what she has suffered. She visited Scotland Yard to pray for relief and protection, and has gone to inspector Byrnes and begged the same. In Philadelphia she says a man annoved her. She went to the Chief of Police, but he did nothing. Another wrong, and one of many that wears upon this unstrum mind: There is a solicitor in iLondon, a Mr. Mayhili, who pays her a regular allowance of £50 a month. He will not say where it comes from but she is certain it comes from a man she knew as Montgomery Carlisle. Yet she counts Mr. Mayhill among her enemies. He, too, is sold out to the other side. Some years ago she was angaged to marry a man of Manchester named Swansen, andMr. Mayhili sent her to Paris to study singing under Mine. Marchesi. She had a "dramatic soprano" and was going on the operatic stage. But the match was broken off. All the work, she believes, of the "other side."

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on 23d December.

The last chance before the Holidays to purchase Japanese Reed Goods-Collar and Cuff Boxes, Handkerchief Boxes, Comb Baskets, Lunch Baskets, Candy Baskets, Fruit Baskets, and all kinds of Fancy Baskets, worth up to 35c-for IOC.

Kid Body Dolls.

Kid Body Dolls, Bisque Heads, 11 inches	180
Kid Body Dolls, Bisque Heads, 13 inches	230
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Kid Body Dolls, Bisque Heads, 22 inches	
Kid Body Dolls, Bisque Heads, 24 inches	
A limited quantity \$1.50 Dressed Dolls for	
Japanese Trays, worth 35c, for	150

Hosiery and Underwear.

We will place on Hosiery Counter 2,000 pair Ladies' Hose, full regular made, in solid colors, unbleached and fancy Cotton Hose; also all pure wool in black, Oxford mixed and solid colors, goods from regular stock, were 25c and 35c, your pick for 15c One lot Boys' Bioycle Hose, size 7 to 10, Boys' Merino Hose, in brown and blue mixture, sizes 7 to 9½; Boys' solid colors Merino Hose, sizes 6½ to 8½; all Boys' Hose worth up to 35c for 15c One lot Ladies' all-wool Jersey Ribbed Vests, high neck and short sleeves, low neck and sleeveless, in all colors and white, slightly soiled, were sold regular from 65c to 85c, all go for 39c

Ribbons and Laces.

85c to 40-inch all-silk Black Spanish Guipure Lace Flouncing, reduced

Sundries.

Long-waisted Satine Corset, long waist, heavily boned, double side steels, in drab, white, black and old gold, reduced from \$1.00 to

Unusual Bargains this week in all Remnants, Odds and Ends to make room for Holiday Goods.

BROADWAY AND UNION MARKET.

UNEQUAL TAXATION.

ARRESSMENTS OF CORPORATIONS CANNOT

way Properties and the Amounts on Which Taxes Are Paid-The Stock Value Escapes Entirely-A Comparison With



HAT the every-day politician has under taken a bigger task in fixing regulations for the assessment of property for purposes of taxation is just now being shown by quesconnection with the corporations gener-

these development as the directions laid down by law on these remarks made by Councilman Comfort before sessor O'Brien. The Councilman made all ell him he had no intention whatever of reflecting upon him, as he thought he dis-charged his duties very ably, but he did want to reach the corporations, as he thought they did not pay in the same proportion as private owners, escaping this by getting around the law in some way.

"We treat corporations and individuals alike," said Mr. O'Brien, "and one is subsame class. The last assessment of the street railways raised their total to the extent of giving the city \$10,000 more a year. The preweries were also raised considerably. .In fact, our last Board of Equalization was a model one.''

"I know that," replied Councilman Comfort, "but THE QUESTION IS RIGHT HERE,

one of corporations, and I would like to see it one of corporations, and I would like to see it settled. It must be that the laws need changing to make them equal. Of course, as far as you are concerned, you must follow the rules laid down for you, though it may not be in harmony with your own views. My remarks in the Council meeting were occasioned by the objections made to increase salaries a few hundred dollars. It has been the rule that when anything like tols was now. the rule that when anything like this was pro-posed the Comptroller would come in and say we did not have the money. And yet, though the amount was small, there would be plenty

employ electricians. I have found that as soon as we got a good man of this class the electric companies have offered him inducements to leave the city's employ and go into that of the corporation. The only remedy is for the city is to pay as much salary as the corporation, and it we are to have constant objections to the increase of salaries in such cases, because of a lack of money, the corporations must be made to come in and make up the deficiency by paying an equal share of the burden of taxation."

The conversation then surned to

ASSESSMENTS GENERALLY and at the request of a Post-Disparce reporter Assessor O'Brien brought out those of the street railways, which are as follows, the second column of figures showing what they will probably be for next year:

1	Baden & St. Louis 5.980	Probab
	Benton-Bellefontaine	200,0
1	Forest Park & Laclede 70,530	100.0
į	Citizens' 374.310	450.0
i	Fourth Street & Arsenal 19.930	*****
ì	Jefferson Avenue 46,990	
	Lindell \$1,000,000; fran- chise \$1,100,000 Two lines; build-	250,0
	Missouri ings, improvints 330,520	500,0
ŝ	Mound City 63,040	125.0
ì	Northern Central 101,690	000
1	People's	200,0
1	St. Louis Cable & Western 275,190	325.0
1	Southern 62,240	100,0
3	Union Depot. 92,820	100,0

Union Depot. 110,500 200,000
The probable assessment is, of course, not official, but is made from estimates which are regarded as reliable.
In equalizing assessments the board has established a uniform price of \$50 for horses and \$50 for small mules, such as are used by the Jefferson avenue road. Bobtail cars are rated at \$200 each and regular coaches, such as are used on the Olive street line, at about \$450 each. This, of course, is not near their original value, but as the wear and tear on them is heavy it is believed to be about right. Outside of these items the assessment, which is made on the returns of the officers of the companies, unless they default, when the assessor performs the work, takes in visible property only.

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which represent the value of the companies' possessions, are not taken into consideration in any way. This is seen in sales of strees railway property made resently. The Lindeli, which, with its debt, really stands the purchasers about \$1,300,000, is paying taxes on only \$166,600. The Citizens', which also sold for a very large sum, and which represents \$1,250,000 of bonds and \$1,000,000 of stock, is assessed at but \$574,000. The Missouri, the stock of which pays handsomely at three times its par value, is rated at even less, but \$330,500, though it own two lines. The \$t. Louis, for which the Chicago syndicate paid a big premium, gets off with \$154,490, and the Cass Avenue, which also sold away up to the same people, with \$113,800. The conclusion from this showing, as Councilman Comfort remarked, is that there should be alaw to assess tranchises. The street railway people, on their aide, claim they are paying higher taxes than in any other city, \$t. Louis assessors being required to return the actual cash value of visible property, while elsewhere the return is of three-afths of the value.

it the city."
if the city."
"You see, said Councilman Comfort, "the
comes in a question of double taxation, to
neople claiming their property has airs
been taxed once."

NOTICE OF SALE.

By erder of the Boars of Directors of the St. Louis Gas-Light Company there will be offered at public sale, between II o'clock s. m. and 1 o'clock p. m. on the 24th day of December, 1889, at the Station Works of sald company, southeast corner of Second and Convent streets, in the city of St. Louis, Missouri, to the highest and best bidder, the gas plant of said company, consisting of property located in said city and State, and of which the following is a general description, that is to say:

First, Real Estate—Fremises (located in city blocks 197 and 189) bounded north (335 feet, more or less) by Main street, south (644 feet, more or less) by Main street, and west (659 feet, more or less) by Main street, and west (659 feet, more or less) by Main street, and west (650 feet, more or less) by Fourteenth street. Also premises (in city block 447 north) bounded north (505 feet, more or less) by Fourteenth street and west (710 feet, more or less) by Fifteenth street. Also a int in city block 365 having a front, beginning at a point 18 feet 24 inches west of the west line of Bartle avenue, and running west, 241 feet (more or less) on the north line of a strip of ground reserved for a street, thirty feet wide, by a depth northwardly, of 258 feet (more or less) by Main street, east (277 feet, more or less) by Main street, east (277 feet, more or less) by Front street, or the Wharf, and south (301 feet, more or less) by the south half of said city block 836, and bounded west (236 feet, more or less) by Front street, or the Wharf, and south (301 feet, more or less) by the south half of said city block 836.

Second. Station works, consisting of office building, retort houses, engine, exhauster, condenser and acrubber building, boiler-house building, stable, two-shoty brick tenement house, carpenter shop and tools, blacksmith shop and tools, blacksmith shop and tools, older-house building, water-pumphouse, lime elevator and engine-nous, relief exhauster house, appender shop and tools, blacksmith shop and tools, older-house

a producing capacity, in their present condition, of 2,600,000 cubic feet in twenty-four
hours.

Third. Four gas-holders, with a storage
capacity of 2,100,000 cubic feet.

Fourth. Street mains, comprising between
one hundred and sixty-shree and one hundred
and sixty-four miles, and ranging, in size, from 3
inches to 20 inches. And about thirteen thousand services, ranging from % to 6 inch, and
about eleven thousand meters now in use, and
4,333 lamp posts and lamps. Repair shop
equipment, consisting of tools, gauges, etc.

Fifth. Twenty-nine horses, 9 mules, 26
wagons, including harnesses, blankets, etc.

Sixth. Material on hand—8,000 feet of 24inch to 3-inch pipe. Also office furniture (as
station-works and at up-town office), consisting of desks, tables, safes, chairs, letterpresses, etc.

Seventh. Whatever powers, rights, privileges and franchises said company can transter and convey by virtue of a certain ordinance of the City of St. Louis,
Missouri, numbered 18,494 and entitled "An ordinance prescribing
the terms and conditions on which
the St. Louis Gas-Light Company, and
the successors and assigns of said
company shall be permitted to lay and maintain pipes and appliances in the streets, alleys
and public places of the city for the sale and
distribution of gas for heating and illuminating purposes for the term ending on January
1, A. D. 1920," which said ordinance was approved January 30th, 1886.

Printed lists, giving the details of said company
(912 Olive street, St. Louis, Missouri) and can
be had on application, in person or by letter,
at said office.

The number of cubic feet of gas sold by the
St. Louis Gas-Light Company for private and

be had on application, in person or by letter, at said office.

The number of cubic feet of gas sold by the St. Louis Gas-Light Company for private and public consumption during the twelve months ending with the Sist day of October, 1889, was about 499,000,000.

The terms and conditions of said sale will be as follows, viz.: the property will be sold as an entirety, that is as a whole, to the highest and best bidder for cash. The purchaser to whom the property is stricken off at such sale will be required to pay, in cash, or by certified check or checks on some bank or banks of approved responsibility, located in said city of St. Louis, ten per cent of the amount of the bid as soon as said bid is accepted and to pay, in cash, the remaining ninety per cent of said bid on the second day of January, 1890. If such purchaser fail to pay said 10 per cent in the manner and at the time aforessid, the property will be at once, on the same day, resold to the highest and best bidder at such resale and on the same terms as to the times at which and the amounts in which the payment of the successful bid must be made. Upon payment, as above stated, of the full amount of the successful bid at said sale, a proper deed of conveyance of the property sold will be made to the pur-

essors or assigns, to comply with, all ingular, the conditions, provisions and ulrements of said ordinance 13,494; and to not said corporation will be required to not said instrument of transfer. And a fact of a compet said deed of conveyance, or in nent of transfer, as the case may be, if orm and to the effect aforesaid, shall op o denrive such purchaser, or such design



That's so boys. You see I brought my whole pack to Barr's. Don't let anybody fool you into spending your nickels anywhere else, either. I've got beautiful presents for everybody that you may buy awfully cheap. SANTA CLAUS.

OUND to come to Barr's to-morrow, you are-A large satin-lined plush collar and cuff box for 67 cents 'll fetch you, and when you get here you'll find thousands of beautiful things

Another special, fine silk plush work box, satin lined; all fitted up, with mirror, a Barr bargain at 50 cents.

107, Bergen, first; Manola 104, Riley, second; Tipstaff 117, Soden, third. Time, 1:234. Fourth race, one mile—Taviston 109, Bergen, first; Re-echo 8t, Stevenson, second; King Idle 106, Ogden, third. Time, 1:434. Fifth race, three-quarters of a mile—Pelbam

Fifth race, three-quarters of a mile-Pelhai 9, Riley, first; Newburg 107, Bergen, second Bill Barnes 102, G. Covington, third. Time

1:17.
Sixth race, one mile—Glenmound 98, Lamb-ley, first; Wilfred 95, Stevenson, second; Mar-tin Russell 104, G. Covington, third. Time,

CLIPTON, N. J., Dec. 5 .- There was a large

attendance at the races here yesterday. They

resulted as follows: First race, one mile—Eatontown 95, Clayton

OH! WHAT A RUSH.

\$10,000 in Christmas Presents Free To-Day

\$25 Baltimore tailor-made suits and ove

coats, \$13.65. Silk and satin-lined garments,

coats, \$9.85; silk and satin-lined garments.

Men's overcoats, other grades, \$1.50 to the fin-

FREE-Fine imported meerschaum clgar-

holders, worth \$2.50 to \$5, with every pur-

chase of \$10 and above. Boys' suits and over

coats as low as \$1 up to the finest made Boots, shoes, hats, caps, gloves, shirts, un

derwear, gold-headed umbrellas, etc., etc.,

HE HAS NO TITLE.

A Wealthy Foreigner Marries an American

WATKINS, N. Y., Dec. 5 .- Another of Ameriforeigner, but this time an exception is noted

and does not possess a title. Invitations were issued last week for the marriage of D. A.

Boissevein and Miss Anna Stolhoff MaGee. The ceremony is to be performed Thursday,

Open until 9 o'clock every night.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

GLOBE, 705 to 713 Franklin avenue.

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to spend one cent outside of

BISQUE head doll for 25 cents!! open and shut eyes, jointed kid body, 121 inches long!

Where's the rest of the Holiday trade? They're just talk, the bargains are only about eclipsed. Our doll stock overshadows all the rest put together. No matter how cheap you see a doll anywhere else, we guarantee to sell you a better one much cheaper.

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EALLY and truly no • EMEMBER Friday is · Barr's big discount day. other "ad" in this paper is worth the reading, not Short lengths of goods worth the wear and tear on in every department in the the brain. They're mere type house at discount prices. And while you're remembering, just include Bookland. type bargains--other folk's bargains are. Now we'll tell you what we'll do. We'll put out in Linen Dep't a big

Standard books, beautifully bound gift books, toy books, towels, bleached and cream picture books, novels; everything and anything in booklore, and as to prices-well, that part of it's all right, they're the cheapest in the world, we promise you that.

OME folks write cross- vite you eyed bargains. If it to do all was'nt Barr's offering your holi-beautiful Silk handkerchiefs day shopping at Barr's Great at 15 and 20 cents apiece Chrismas Bazaar. day silk handkerchief sale.

just as early as you can get down, or else don't complain our bargains. We want all the of inattention. How can we world to become so well acdreadful afternoon crush as gain way that they'll pin everybody 's fresh and rested Barr Dry Goods Co., Sixth, and when elbow room is a Olive and Locust streets, St. possibility.

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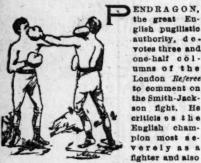
you'd think it a cross-eyed You'll find everything you bargain. All the world 's want right here, only it'll be going to Barr's special Fri- a little better 'n you looked for and some cheaper.

Do shop in the morning, You see we're just trying wait upon everybody in the quainted with us in a barwell as in the morning, when their faith forever to the Wm. Louis.

PENDRAGON'S OPINION.

THE ENGLISH PUGILISTIC WRITER ON THE SMITH-JACKSON FIGHT.

Jackson Not the Wonder He Is Credited With Being and Smith an Unworthy Champion of England—A Doubt About the Battle Having Been on Its Merits-



the great English pugilistic First race, one mile—Eatontown 95, Clayton, first; Champion 92, A. Covington, second; Souvenir 92, Decker, third. Time, 1:4542.
Second race, five furlongs—Nina W. 108, A. McCarthy, first; Osceola 105, Moser, second; Kitty Pease 105, Simms, third. Time, 1:0442.
Third race, five furlongs—Blessed 108, A. McCarthy, first; Highland Mary 105, Kane, second; Wanderer II. 105, Clayton, third. Time, 1:0444.
Fourth race, seven and a half furlongs—Firefly 112, Sinnott, first; Can't Tell 107, Clayton, ton, second; Wild Cherry 104, Simms, third. Time, 1:38.
Fifth race, six and a half furlongs—Hida 103, Clayton, first; Young Duke 121, A. McCarthy, second; Adonis 90, A. Covington, third. Time, 1:2442.
Sixth race, three-quarters of a mile—Jack Rose 123, M. Barrett, first; Garrison 123, Garrison, second; Lemoine H. 110, Clayton, third. Time, 1:19. one-half col-London Referee the Smith-Jackcriticis es the plon most sefighter and also

ntimates very strongly that his meeting with Jackson was not on its merits. The English does not think very highly the ability of Jackson, whom offensively refers to as a "nigger." He claims the Australian is greatly overestimated and is not a wonder and not as good a man with bare knuckles as his fellow countryman, Frank P. Slavin. The following is an extract from Pendragon's \$20. Baltimore tailor-made suits and over

"The fight, as it is called, lasted six minutes, exactly one minute of which was spent est. Men's suits, other grades, \$3.50 to the by the men resting in their corners, and all but nother was wasted in preliminary sparring. Yet the remaining four minutes were fully sufficient to show that, providing this was a

IMMEASURABLY HIS SUPERIOR. not easy to remember so rapid a rise on the at lower figures than ever before. Now one side and so commensurate a fall on the your chance other. Also short as was the time it enabled to offer three opportunities for his disqualification. Of the first two, his see hitting Jackson a long way his see hitting Jackson a long way below the belt and his giving him the shoulder, the referee took no notice. Both acts might have been intentional, though they did not look like it, and besides, in a contest for points they could have been set against him in summing up at the finish. The folks who were present had paid to see a ten-round fight, and it was clearly the duty of the officials to help give them all that was possible of that which they wanted and had paid for. But Smith was not going to be robbed of his desire in this way. His third offense was too wanton and too wicked to be passed over, and the referee rising in his place and his righteous wrath as well, disqualified the cheapest champion of England that ever lived as soon as the uproar aroused by Smith's third deliberate endeavor to evade his contract allowed him to make himself heard. The final foul, all readers who, care to know by this time know, by this time know, care to know

WAS A BACK-HEEL, a thing which no man would think of attempt ing while he had the gloves on unless he was a thing which no man would think of attempting while he had the gloves on unless he was anxious above all things to get himself turned out of the combat. This piece of bad work has not even the merit of originality. To foul a man who is too good and who can hit hard, and especially to foul him by wrestling, and thus avoid a pasting, has for long been a favorite trick of the boxing professional when he is in a difficulty and like a hunted rat, does not mind how unsavory the crevice into which he creeps to find shelter. Smith's dearest friends cannot well deny that as things were going he saved himself from a great thrashing by flagrantly violating the rules under which he was boxing.

"Before he resorted to throwing, Smith had shown himself utterly unale to cope with the nigger, although the latter is not by any means such a wonder as the growd since his victory acclaims him. This is to me the most marvelous feature of the entertainment. Accident excepted, anyone having the least claim to be considered a champion ought to have held his own. If the entertainment. Accident excepted, ayone having the least claim to be considered a champion ought to have held his own, ay until the fourth round, no matter what en happened. Readers need not now be old that I never had any high opinion of mith, or that I have constantly pointed at that he has no one claim to regarded as of real champion caliber, but I returnly do not believe the contemptible figbe regarded as of real champion caliber, but I certainly do not believe the contemptible figure he cut last Sunday night was the best return he could make for the Pelican's off-expressed confidence in his capacity. His own seconds and his closest friends as well, admit that he was utterly unable to cope with Jackson as soon as the first round was over. Directly they got together there was only one in it. A waster from the street corner would have made as good a show with Jackson as was made by the

"CHAMPION OF ENGLAND."

"Another feature of the affair is that after a few passes Smith's wind went to pieces. No man in a fair state of health could, after a month or more's preparation, have been thus distressed by so pairry an effort. If a man gets knocked out that his bad luck—the best man in the world has been tumbled over before now by a hit which bear. gets knocked out that his bad luck—the
best man in the world has been
tumbled over before now by a hit which happened to land on the right spot—but such a
pitiful display as was given by Smith when he
clung to the rope as helpless and exhausted
as though he had been fighting for hours has
never before been given in the entire history of
either boxing or prize-fighting—that is when
the fight or boxing match has really been
what it professed to be. The generous patrons of sunday sport who subscribed £1,000 for
the funniest show ever yet given by boxers of
pretension must find themselves on the horns
of a dilemma. So must Mr. Smith, the now
all long while avowed pet of the Felicans.

Who knows anything about professional and he are welcome to either horn. No who knows anything about professional ring need be told that if Jem Smith, 'champlon of England,' is within a mile of his previously published form his show on Sunday night is utterly incomprehensible. If the show is correct, then the Pelicans must be the greatest lot of asses, and Smith himself must be the most colossal Impostor that even an age which bristles with asses and impostors has so far been able to generate.

Running at Elizabeth.

ELIZABETH, N. J., Dec. 5 .- The attendance at the races yesterday was rather light and from now on until further notice the track will be thrown open to the public. Below is

the result of the races:

Hirst race, three quarters of a mile—Glory, 100, Lambley, first; Carnot 104, G. Covington, second: The Abbess 86, Weber, third. Time, 1874. Second race, five-eighths of a mile—Harry Second 1875. Gerhardy, first; Hemet 35, French, second; Fred B. 180, Soden, third. Time,

bankers of Europe. He has banks in London, England, and Amsterdam, Holland, and spends part of each year at each of these places. He is now in this country. Miss Anne MaGee is the oldest daughter of Gen. G. J. MaGee of this village. Gen. MaGee is a prominent railroad man and one of the wealthiest citizens of this State. Our Dangerous Inheritance. Mrs. Helen Bullock will lecture on above subject at Union M. E. Church Sunday after. noon at 30'clock. Admittance free. TRAGEDY AT A CIRCUS.

> Three Men Killed in a Free Fight and Sev eral Others Wounded.

NEW YORK, Dec. 5 .- A Columbia, (8. C.) special says: A terrible tragedy is just reported from Robeson County, N. C. On Monlay a circus exhibited at Lumberton. That night a crowd of drunken negroes began a quarrel among themselves. Soon a free fight was in progress and pistols, knives, clubs, stones and other weapons were brought into stones and other weapons were orought into use, amid yells, cries and groans. The conflict raged for at least twenty minutes, and when finally the smoke of the battle cleared away it was found that Jack Hunt, Tom Collier and Julius Embra were killed and haif a dozen others were more or less seriously injured. All the participants in the row who escaped unburt immediately fled, but the Sheriff and a posseare pursuing them.

BLAINE-of Maine-cannot refrain From eating Flap Jack time again.

by Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch. PITTSBURG, Kan., Dec. 5 .- A party of dis tinguished capitalists and manufacturer from Chicago, Ill., Niles, Mich., and Dubuque, Io., arrived here ; esterday on the Chicago & Alton limited, and by special engine over the Missouri Pacific Raliroad.
The parties number fourteen and includes
Payton R. Chandler, J. C. Magill, J. D. Gray,
Chas. Chapin, W. L. Bradley, Adolph Helle
and other noted capitalists. A reception was
tendered the visitors last night at the Operahouse. Great enthusiasm prevailed.

Piano sing. To hear it is to buy it. Six dol lars per month will buy first-class planes and strent one at Koerber Plane Co., 1102 Olive. Agents for the world-renowned Knabe planos

New Mining Company in Arkansas.

By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Dec. 5.—Articles of in corporation of the Bonanza Mining Co. have headquarters of the company are at Bates ville; capital stock, \$40,000. The Directors are Robert Nelli, J. C. Harris, J. L. Groves, Theo. Maxfield, L. M. Vicky and S. B. Curtis.

Arkansas Merchant Fails.

Ev Telegraph to the Post-Disparce.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Dec. 5. - D. C.
Darkell, a merchant of Tuckerman, Ark., falled yesterday with Habilities of \$14,000. The assets are placed at \$20,000. His creditors are St. Louis, Chicago and New York houses.

"Midgets" and "Kipfels." d; Fred B. 180, Soden, third. Time, Nice for parties. Made only by Vienna Mode of race, six and a half furiongs—Meriden Bakery. Leave orders with your grocer. A PECULIAR PRODUCTION.

HOW CHICAGO IS ENDEAVORING TO SECURE VOTES IN CONGRESS.

Remarkable Map Sent Out by the World's Fair Executive Committee of the City by the Sewer-Seme Extraordinary Statements-A New Departure in the Wash



ECENT developments in the contes have demonstrated ness and anxiety of skill with which the has been conducted A letter was received this morning from Washington by member of the Com-

mittee on Foreign Correspondence, detailing the tactics on the sewer to influence Congressmen to centennial. A compliment is paid to this city by its rival by the close copying of its tactics. A CHICAGO CIRCULAR MAP.

As every one in the country is aware, the St. Louis committee had many thousand maps printed showing the spopulation and the number of miles of railroad encompassed by a circle of 500 miles radius, the center of which was St. Louis. The choice of a radius was ased upon the distance that could easily be covered in a day's travel, and proved that this city was nearer the center of population and has more ample railway connec tions than any other in the country. The effect of this map ha been most advantageous to the cause of St. ters received, and still more emphatically by the course of the Chicago delegation now in

Washington. The national capital has been flooded with circulars from Chicago, copying the St. Louis map, but with several important alterations. In order to secure anything like a favorable comparison three changes were deemed neceseary: the increase of the radius of the circle from 500 to 1,500 miles, the estimate of population in 1892 in-

December 12, at 2:30 p. m. at the Watkins Pres-byterian Church, by Rev. F. S. Howe of Bur-dette, assisted by Rev. B. K. Douglas of Wat-kins. Mr. Boissevein is quite well known in the United States and is one of the leading bankers of Europe. He has banks in London.

sary: the increase of the radius of the circle from 500 to \$^1,500\$ miles, the estimate \$\times 0\$ population in 1892 instead of figures taken from the last census, and the entire omission of the St. Louis circle, confining the comparison to New York and Chicago. With a circle 1,500 miles in radius it is evident that with St. Louis as a center nine-tenths of the population of the country would be included, and the same would be true of almost any city west of the Alleghanies and south of the lakes with the single exception of Chicago.

THE CAUSE FOR OMITTING
the St. Louis circle is apparent at a glance, and also the reason for increasing the radius, as it gives New York an immense sea srea, On the map sent out by St. Louis both the New York and Chicago circles are given comparison, being something to be desired and not to be avoided.

The estimates of the population of the different States in 1892 are most; amusing. Missouri is relegated to the eighth or tenth rank, both Texas and Indiana being placed far in the lead. But what is taken from Missouri is multiplied many times and added to Illinois. According to the Chicago view of the situation in about two years from the present time Pennsylvania will have about five and a half million inhabitants, New York less than six millions, while Illinois will be the home of more than nine million seven hundred thousand citizens of this country. The estimate is that in 1892 more than sixy-two millions of people will have their homes within 1,500 miles of Chicago.

This is about the population of the entire country, as estimated by the Census Bureau, and the rose color pervading the Chicago estimates is plainly evident, when it is taken into consideration that a very large proportion of the Chicago circle circumsorribes the great lakes and the least thickly populated portlons of Canada. The circular is said to be the laughing stock of Washington, and the remark that "this man doth protest to much," has become a familiar saying. The St. Louis committee has made no comment b

of but 500 miles in radius. When this is discovered, a change in the Chicago estimates may be looked for.

A NEW DEPARTURE.

The mismanagement of the affairs of the staffacis campaign in the national capital, which was pointed out in yesterday's Post-Disparch, has not escaped the attention of the Executive Committee, and the necessity of a change has been strongly urged by many of the most influential and disinterested members, who have insisted that more spirit should be infused into the Washington campaign, but have been very unwilling to interfere with the plans laid out by the chairman of the Executive Committee, as it was believed that anything like dissension was to be avoided if possible. Finally affairs became so unsatisfactory that the members of the committee determined to act, and to take the matter into their own hands. With this object in view a deputation called upon Frank Galennie list week, and requested him to go to Washington, take charge of affairs in that city, and push the campaign as it should have been pushed from the first. Mr. Galennie, owing to the pressure of private business, felt compelled to decline, but on Tuesday morning another call was made upon him, and the necessity of his presence in Washington still more strongly urged. He felt himself unable to resist a request made in this manner, and on Tuesday evening took the train for Washington. He will take charge of affairs in that city to-day, and it is confidently predicted that a new spirit will be infused into the campaign, and an immense increase in the vote assured to St. Louis.

This afternoon a meeting of the Ohio Committee was held and a circular formulated to be addressed to the olitzens of that State, setting forth the advantages of St. Louis as a location for the World's Fair.

CHICAGO, "the jungle by the lake," Swears by the savory Flap Jack cake.

Charged With Arson. KANSAS CITY, Dec. 5,—Rev. Robert Cleve-and and his wife have been arrested on a charge of arson. They are accused of burnarge of arson. They are accused of the Second Baptist Church at Augus

Kan. All parties are colored and the trouble has grown out of a factional fight for the lead-ership in the church.

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How Eddie Gould Got \$125,000 Out the Mis-

stack of fringed cloths, tidies,

damask napkins, all odds and

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sheetings, pillow casings, etc.,

all at a big discount on Fri-

day, and you come down and

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—The Times to-day prints this: A hero whom Wall street has not lately had much chance to celebrate made stock market hearts glad yesterday by reap-pearing. Mr. Edwin Gould is this attraction. Dreary tales have been current to the effect that this interesting young man had reformed and was pledged to his father never more to toy with the stock market, or at least never to be so utterly wicked as to sell "short" his who has known the couple for ten years said parent's railroad stocks. And apparently the lively lad did struggle to keep in the narrow path, but yesterday out came the revelation that the wiles of the world had overcome.bim. path, but yesterday out came the revelation that the wiles of the world had overcome.bim. It happened lately—or so, at least, the story goes in Wall street—it happened that Mr. Jay Gould's elder son, George, organized a pool in alisaouri Pacific stock, proposing to bull it to higher figures. Jay Gould himself is reported not only to have approved of the scheme, but to have taken a personal interest in it. Funds were deposited, brokers were hired, and all the manipulative machinery was put in readiness for vizorous action. But somehow the boom failed to materialize. The clique worked hard and bought lively. They lifted the market by main strength up two or three points above 70, buying most at the top. Yet yesterday the price got down to 68. The more the pool seemed willing to buy the easier it has seemed to come out.

*Wall street has insisted that the depression was due to sales by Mr. Jay Gould, a charge that has been extreatly resented by that gentleman, who has lost no opportunity to help his son, George, by trying to talk up quotations. Still, there have been such indications of inside selling that followers of the pool have run, taking accumulated losses rather than risk added ones, while bear operators, encouraged by these inside indications, have joined merrily in the raids and all the usual

joined merrily in the raids and all the usual pounding processes.

Now jauntily turns up Mr. Edwin Gould. Not a bit has he reformed. He gloats in unpotherly fashion over the Missouri Paelife buil pools. Brother George is routed. His parent is undone, but Eddie can afford to do enough smiling for the whole family, and why not. Suppose you, gentle reader, had an average profit of five full points of 25,000 shares of stock, wouldn't you be inclined to be jocular too? George is not broke, and Jay will still manage to subsist; but Eddie's \$125,000—the profit of a single week—may, it is feared, tempt even those better members of the Gould household to waver in their chronic goodness.

Tom REED, the Speaker, should preside, TO DIE BY ELECTRICITY.

Preparation at Sing Sing for the Execution of Charles McElvaine.

By Telegraph to the Post-Disparch. NEW YORK, Dec. 5 .- The execution by elec-Luca, the Brooklyn grocer, is set down to take place next week, between sunrise Mon take place next week, between sunrise Monday and sunset Saturday. Warden Brush at Sing Sing has been quietly making preparations for the unpleasant event. The one-story brick building, 30 feet square, in which the electric chair is to be placed, has been completed. It stands at the rear of the prison, against the walls of the dark cells. A gang of convict stone workers were laying a heavy stone floor in the building yesterday. It is a dark, dismail place, and the back walls cannot be seen from the little narrow entrance. There are a few very small openings around the top of the wall, which are to serve as windows, but little or no light is thrown into the building from these openings.

The bare brick walls will remain as they are, and the only furnishings of the dismal chamber will be the fatal electric chair and the connections leading to the dynamo. State Electrician Brown will have his instrument of death in thorough working order by Saturday next. Principal Keeper Connaughton said that not more than twenty persons would be present at the execution. Although it was known that the conflemned man's counsel had filed a notice of appeal, no official notification was received at the prison up to a late hour last night. It was stated by some of the prison officials that Warden Brush was much agitated and very nervous over McElvaine's case. day and sunset Saturday. Warden Brush at

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A Boy With Magnetic Hands.

By Telegraph to the Post-Disparch.

Baltimore, Md., Dec. 5.—The scientists connected with the Johns Hopkins University are engaged in investigating the peculiar powers possessed by the fingers of Louis Hamburger, the 21-year-old son of Philip Hamburger, a well-known merchant of this city. When the hands of the young man are thoroughly dried and touched to any polished object they hold it like a magnet. He can thus raise up a quantity of pins which will dangle from them, his index fingers possessing the quality more than any other. He also raises up a glass tube freighted with a 6-pound weignt. Prof. William Simon has him in charge and proposes to give some scientific experiments before the Johns Hopkins Scientific Association. are engaged in investigating the peculia

Ingalls' Christmas Price List, Page 5 Engineers' Club Officers.

The Engineers' Club will, at its next mee ing, vote upon the following nominations for officers submitted at the meeting last night F. E. Nipher, President; George Burnet and S. P. Russell, Vice-Presidents; W. H. Bryan, Secretary; C. W. Melcher, Treasurer; E. D. Meier, S. B. Russell and F. H. Pond, direct-ors; J. B. Johnson, Librarian; J. A. Seddon, Manager.

H. Rider Haggard's Latest. "Alien Quartermain's Wife" begins in to night's Chronicle. Thrilling. First publics

Pittsburg (Kan.) Boiler-Works. By Telegraph to the Poer-Distraton.
PITTSBURG, Kan., Dec. 5.—The boiler-works
of Thomas McNally of Ashland, Wis., employing fifty men, have been moved to this city.

FIRST-CLASS pirtures make the test, Strauss's photos are the best.

MAY BE RECONCILED.

MR. AND MRS. WELSH EXPECTED TO KISS AND MAKE UP AGAIN.

Aged Couple Who Have Separated and Became Friendly Again Six Times— Want a Divorce After Twenty-Seven Years of Married Life—Other Divorce Matters-Judgments on Notes,

The Welsh divorce case, which entertaine a large number of spectators in Judge Fisher's court yesterday, was not taken up to-day, and there was talk of another compromise D. Johnson, for Mr. Welsh, and W. B. Thompson, for Mrs. Welsh, agreed to submit the question of alimony in briefs and introduce no other testimony. The old couple were married in 1873 and have lived on their little garden patch in Elleardsville un to the beginning of this year. A young man if they were left alone, but wife being very sensitive and easily led, her alleged friends carry tales to her from her husband and from her to her hus-band, and in this way constantly keep them at war. The old gentleman is supposed to have considerable money hidden about the house he lives in, and it is said some outside parties are trying to get the wife divorced an secure a large sum of alimony 'take care of it for her.' I doubtful if Judge Fisher will grant a divorce, though Mrs. Welsh says she will beg from door to door rather than live with Dick Welsh. She has made this same declaration half a dozen times before, however, and has returned to her husband each time and friends of both parties hope to reconcile them again.

Another Aged Couple Seeking a Decree. Another divorce case which has taken up two days' time in Judge Dillon's court is that of Priska Becherer against Franz X. Becherer, an aged couple who were joined in the holy bonds of wedlock November 10, 1882, twenty-seven years ago. The wife claims her husband has been guilty of such barbarous and cruel treatment as to endanger her life. He would frequently become intoxicated, she said, and would create a lively sir in the household. He would accuse her of infidelity and call her vile names. She asks for alimony and he contests the divorce because he does not want to pay alimony and is represented by Henry Kortjohn. Joseph T. Tatum represents the wife. One witness in the case is a daughter 25 years of age, who takes sides with the mother.

The divorce case of Michael J. Fox against Catherine C. Fox was dismissed by the wife in Judge Fisher's court this morning, and the cases of Jacob Buntru against Walburga Buntru and Eliza Stewart against Charles Stewart were dismissed for want of prosecution. holy bonds of wedlock November 10, 1862,

Decrees of divorce have been granted Mrs.
Julia Geimer against Louis Geimer, Adaline
Wade against Otis Wade, Mary Wolff against
Christian Wolff, Ellen M. Monroe against
Menzo D. Monroe.

Notes.

against Frederick Betz this morning on a note.

Braun & Matzanbacher entered a suit in attachment against A. Loth & Sons for \$1,089.

The Armour Brothers' Banking Co. secured judgment in Judge Withrow's court this morning for \$8,708.27 against Potter & Bradenbaugh with 10 per cent interest.

The Fort Stamoux National Bank secured judgment against the Missouri Horse Exchange to-day for \$294.18.

Honora Abearn entered suit against the St. Louis, Iron Mountain & Southern Ballroad for \$200 damages for personal injuries yesterday, and the company paid the claim immediately. The Muckerman Ice & Coal Co. filed articles of incorporation in the Recorder's office this morning. The capital stock is \$20,000, divided into 300 shares of \$100 each, of which Christopher Muckerman holds 180 shares and Ignatz C. Muckerman and John U. Muckerman ten shares each.

REJOICE AND BE GLAD

That to-morrow will bring with it the greatest bargains of the year, as portrayed in the menus the merchants offer for your consideration in the Post-Dis-

Jimmy Hope Beleased.

New York, Dec. 5 .- "Jimmy" Hope, the noted bank burglar, was discharged from custody by Judge Wheeler in the United Circuit Court and he was allowed two days' time to leave this State. His honor decided that the prisoner was entitled to his liberty, having served imprisonment for the crime under which he was extradited from California.

Perfectly Fiendish.

To be assaulted by the three imps, dyspepsia constipation and liver complaint—a tric of satani birth—is perfectly fiendish. This often happens The hateful three, however, soon whisk away to the nether inforno when Hostetter's Stomach Bitters is employed to evict them. As a stom-achic and alterative of disordered conditions of the bowets and liver it is speaking within bound to say that there is not in existence a med widely known as this, and few indeed which have received such positive and authoritative sanction from the medical fraternity. The fact that it promptly relieves, then extirpates, the three maladies of most common occurrence ought and does make it the most popular of family med-icines. But, in addition to that, it has achieved the foremost reputation as a preventive of and remedy for chills and fever, rheumatism, nervous and kidney trouble.



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Waste not your time, the years roll space Leaving us nothing but burdens to hold; Let us prepare a true resting place Gathering our dear ones into the fold. Money you say you never put by— Pleasure and folly consume them too fast, But shink of the pitfalls now drawing nigh And how you'll regret it, the rich wasted past

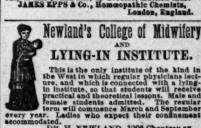
Sober and steady have other men won All that their wisdom urged them to gain Leaving at night some good thing begun, Doubling their welfare again and again Save something weekly-everyone car-Making a home thus happy and neat, Bu this ingenious installment plan

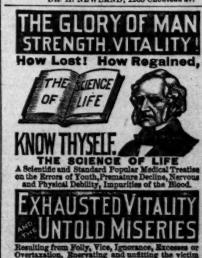
Sown in a bank the safest on earth;
You will not shiver we no cold winds blow
Warmed and refreshed by your own little h
Now is the time you soon must begin to
Lay by your treasures for building a nest
So when they come, the tempests of winter
Trouble will never ite deep on your breast. What more can a man want-or a woman with a nest of little ones to care for-than a chance to make a home for all by the paying of a small weekly sumhardly felt. This is solid fact and the quicker you luvestigate the better. Fortune ought not to be delayed. Life is too short. See.

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Inclinati & Louisville, Wash., Balt., Phila. and New York.
Phila. and New York.
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8:15 pm 7:45 am
8:40 am CAIRO SHORT LINE RAILROAD.

Kansas City Mail | 8:15 am | 7:00 pm |
Chicago Express Mail | 8:30 am | 7:35 pm |
Alton Express (except Sunday) | 10:00 am | 8:30 am |
Through Chicago Express | 4:40 pm | 10:40 am |
Jacksonville Accommodation | 7:55 pm | 7:30 am |
Kansas City Minh Express | 7:55 pm | 7:30 am |
Godfrey accommodation | 1:40 pm |

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CITY NEWS.

Holiday Prices.

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THE BUTLER TRAGEDY. Account of the Quarrel Which Resulted i the Death of Morgan and Willis.

BUTLER, Mo., Dec. 5 .- A fearful tragedy was enacted last night at the house of City Marshal J. H. Morgan by which; Morgan and Deputy United States Marshal J. P. Willis lost their lives. On Monday Willis attacked Capt. J. W. Hannah and was arrested by the City Marshal. He was released a short time later and went to Kansas City, where he swore later and went to Kansas City, where he swore to warrants against Morgan and Hannah for obstructing a United States officer. Yesterday evening Willis and S.S. Price of Washington, D. C., went to Morgan's house. Willis called to Morgan to come out, which he did, armed; both men fired at the same instantagnd both were wounded in the abdomen. Willis and Price dragged Morgan from the door, and Willis beat him about the head and shot him three times. At 1.30 Morgan died and Willis died at 4.

died at 4.

JEFFERSON CITY, Dec. 5.—The Grand-jury is
investigating charges against Alexander Willams, a St. Louis negro whose term of two
years expires on Saturday. He is said to be
the most vicious brute ever confined at Jefferson Oity. In the past three months he hascrippled three convicts and tried to murder
half a dozen more.

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Grain Shipments From Baltimore.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH. Md., Dec. 5.-The of this port was that done yesterday. Nine steamships were chartered to load full carsteamships were chartered to load full cargoes of grain for Cork for orders in the months of January, February and March. The total quarters call for over eighty thousand quarters, about 650,000 bushels of grain. Independent of these full cargoes berth room for 24,000 quarters was taken, making total business of the day foot up over 832,000 bushels of grain to be shipped in the months mentioned. These figures are largely increased by previous charters and charters yet to be made. There has been unusual activity not only in vessels for grain, but in the general cargo business. The Journal of Commerce of November 30 gives the names of eighty odd steam. gives the names of eighty odd steam

Ingalls' Christmas Price List, Page 5.

foot to form a straw and rag paper trust for the purpose of restricting production and advancing prices. Agents have been operating in the West with considerable success and are now working their way East. The headquarters of the proposed combination will probably be at Chicago. If the trust is formed it will be one of the greatest in the country, as here are over one thousand straw and rag rapping paper mills in the United States. Less mills are of various capacities, some making one ton a day and others as high as sixty tons every twenty-four hours, and millons of dollars are invested in them. vancing prices. Agents have been operating

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NEOSHO, Mo., Dec. 5 .- Reed Jones, a young man of bright promise and honorably con-nected, was to-day convicted before a jury in nit Court and sentenced to five years in the State Penitentiary, the crime being arson, in the burning of a barn, the property of Joseph Robinson. The evidence was all circumstattal. The case was stubbornly fought, the ablest lawyers at the Neesho bar being employed. The case will probably be appealed to the Supreme Court.

FRANCIS, Cockrell or Vest Could well pronounce Flap Jack the best

ously hurt last night in a collision of a twoliance Tes Co., which he was driving. The

SWUNG INTO ETERNITY

HENRY CARLTON HANGED FOR THEI MUR-DER OF POLICEMAN BRENNAN.

ew York Tombs Prison the Scene of the Execution-The Work Well Performed-History of the Crime-The Condemne Man's Last Night in His Cell-His Demeanor on the Gallows.

NEW YORK, Dec. 5 .- At precisely 19 minute past 7 o'clock Sheriff Flack and Under Sheriff Sexton heading a corps of Deputy Sheriffs arrived at the Tombs prison wearing silk hats and carrying the staffs of their office The procession of the officials passed through the reception corridor and out into the prison yard. Here the Deputy Sheriffs formed a line along the space just in front of the gallows which had been erected in that section of the yard nearest the junction of Franklin and Elm streets. Sheriff Flack and Under Sheriff Sexton then entered the prison and at once risited the cell in murderers' row where Carlton was calmly awaiting their arrival.

Father Gelinas, the kindly natured Tombs Chaplain, and father Holland of St. Francis Xavier Church, in Sixteenth street, were with the condemned man. The priests had been praying with Carlton, and he seemed resigned to his fate. The Sheriff read the death warrant, and at once motioned to Hangman Joe Atkinson.

ON THE SCAFFOLD. With the hangman marching ahead with bowed head and hat in hand, the processio to the gailows started at 7:29 o'clock. Following the hangman came Sheriff Flack and Under Sheriff Sexton. Then came the unfortunate victim of his own passions. Carlton was attired in a well-fitting black suit of clothes. He looked pale, but maintained that steady nerve which he has all along displayed. When near the gallows the Sheriff and Under Sheriff stepped to one side and Joe Atkinson at once adjusted the noose, pulled the black cap over Carlton's head, gave a signal and the murderer of Policeman Brennan swung into the air, a dangling, limp mass of almost lifeless humanity. A few convulsive twiches and all was over. It was within a few seconds of 7:30 o'clock when Carlton walked under the gallows and at 7:30 he was hanged. The execution was as near perfection as such things can be. There was no evidence of bungling and the Sheriff expressed himself as satisfied.

Carlton's Last Night.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH. NEW YORK, Dec. 5.-Father Gelinas, the Catholic priest, sat for three hours in the murderer's cage in the Tombs last night and gave Harry Carlton religious consolation. The doomed man received his adviser's spir-litual cheer with avidity. He made his last conression and then the worthy priest retired o sleep in a ceil near to Carlton's cell. The

and did not finish the meal.

"Can" you eat, Harry?" asked one of his keepers.

"Eat?" he asked, with a slight uprising of the eyebrows and a shrug of the shoulders.

"No, I can't eat any more."

He dropped wearily into a chair and buried his head in his hands. He remained there only a moment. Then he arose and began pacing up and down the cage. He drew a cigar from his pocket and lighted it. He puffed it nervously until it was smoked up, and then Father Seline was admitted. Thereafter he became calmer. A few minutes past 9 a man applied at the Franklin street gate for admittance. The Warden was away just then and his clerk asked what was wanted. The man said his name was James Morkenna and ne was a brother-in-law of Carlton and was working in Newark.

Under-Sheriff Sexton came to the door, and as the man was evidently under the influence of liquor both Mr. Sexton and his clerk refused him admission. About 11 p. m. Martin Osborne went in to bid Carlton good-bye. "Good-bye," echoed Carlton, "Oh, I must see you once more in the morning and say good-bye then. Blake it good-night now."

Carlton retired to sleep his last sleep at 11:30. Within five minutes he had closed his eyes and slept, temporarily forgetful of his earthly trouble.

Carlton's Cerme.

The crime for which Carlton paid the pen-

and slept, temporarily forgetful of his earthly trouble.

CARLTON'S CRIME,
The orime for which Carlton paid the penalty was cold-blooded, heartless and cowardly in the extreme. It occurred on Sunday morning, on October 28, 1888. His victim was James Brennan, a policeman attached to the Thirty-fifth street station-house. The facts of the shooting, as elicited at the trial, which began on December 10, 1888, are as follows:
In company with two young toughs, named Eddle O'Hearn and 'Youle' Bourke, Carleton entered Robert Tucker's barroom at the southwest corner of Thirty-third street and Third avenue. It was early in the morning. A few minutes previously a waiter named Julius Roesseler had entered the salcon. The three men asked the waiter to treat. He refused, saying that he did not know any of them. Some angry words followed, the most vehement being Carlton. Presently the four went out on the sidewalk, where Carlton and his companions assaulted Roessier. The disturbance attracted the attention of Officer Brennan, who was a square away, and as he ran to the scene the trio took flight. He pursued them and as he was gaining on the fugitives they halted. When Brennan had come within a few yards of Carlton the latter drew out his pistol—one of 58-caliber—and fired two shots. Both bul-Morses attached to the first mentioned wagon were running away. The tea company's wagon was met at Tenth street and Chouteau avenue and demoliabed. The boy was taken to his home. Sidi Caroling treet.

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FARMERS WILL COMBINE.

THE CONFERENCE COMMITTEES REACH A CONSOLIDATION AGREEMENT.

Committee Appointed to Draw Up Reso. intions to That Effect-Messrs. Powderly, Wright and Beaumont Visit the Alliand Meeting-No Doubt of the Amalgamatic



HE regular meeting of the Farmers' and Laborers' Union convened this morn ing in Entertainment Hall with President Evan Jones in the

conression and then the worthy priest retired to sleep in a ceil near to Carlton's ceil. The dying man bore up wonderfully. His nerve astonished Deputy Sheriffs Wild and Fitzgerald, who were on his death watch. Carlton discussed the forthooming tragedy, in which he was to take such a prominent part, eoolly and calmly, betraying no emotion.

Even when his father, wife and sister-in-law called to bid him farewell in the afternoon, he did not shed a tear, but they wept pientifully. The parting scene between him and his wife was touching. His last words to her were, 'Good bye, dear.'' She was too much affected to answer.

During the remainder of the afternoon the Sisters of Mercy remained with him and turned his thoughts to heaven. 'I am not afraid to die,' he said once, 'but I hate to die on the gallows.'' One by one the usual sounds of the Tombs died out and darkness succeeded daylight. At 6 p. m. the sisters left and then Carlton became somewhat restiess. He called for his supper and a bountiful repast was sent to him. It consisted of eggs, toast, tea and fraits, but Carlton did not seem to relish it and did not finish the meal.

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H. Barton.
On Transportation—S. B. Alexander, North
Carolina; Lyland of Arkansas; Harry Tracy,
Texas; E. P. Mitchell, J. W. Rodgers.
In consequence of the meeting held last
evening in Labor Hall no evening session was
held by the Farmers and Laborers' Union to
permit the farmers to visit the labor meeting
AT TURNER HALL.
At an early hour Central Turner Hall began
to be filled with members of the Knights of
Labor and other labor organizations, the
Farmers' Alliance and the Farmers and
Laborers' Union. The meeting was
held under the ausdices of District
Assemblies I7 and 191, Knights of Labor. It
had been stated that Mr. Ralph Beaumont,
Chairman of the National Legislative Committee Knights of Labor at Washington,
would lecture on the labor question, and
when Master Workman Lake raspned for order.

About fifty members of the Farmers and LaAbout fifty members of the Farmers and Lawould lecture on the labor question, and when Master Workman Lake rapped for order

at 8 o'clock there were 1,000 people in the room. A number of agriculturists were seated on the stage. Chairman Lake introduced Mr. Beaumont, who at once began speaking. Mr. Beaumont made a very humorous speech, keeping the audience in laughter the greater portion of the time.

At about 8:45 p. m. Powderly came in and was greeted with tumultuous applause. He spoke fer ten minutes and was followed by A. J. Streetor of Illinois, who made a short address on behalf of the farmers.

"THE CONSOLIDATION COMMITTEES."

Last evening, the committee from the Farmers' Alliance, composed of Geo. W. Sprague of Minnesota; Alonzo Wardall, South Dakota; J. H. Ashby, Iowa; J. H. Powers, Nebrasks, and Walter Muir si North Dakota, met the committee from the Farmers and Laborers' Union, composed of Messra. Hickman, Patty, Page, Clowse and Mitchell, at the Planters' House.

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These two committees were appointed in consequence of the failure of the former committees to come to any agreement.

This meeting, which was the most important one of the whole convention, as at it was decided whether the alliance and Farmers and

Planters' House. The meeting was called to order by Chairman Sprague of Minnesota, and the idea of consolidating was discussed at length. There were no dissenting voices when the question was put to a vote, whether the alliance would consolidate with the Farmers and Laborers' Union on certain conditions. The conditions were the approval of the step taken by the delegates by the different alliances. The meeting was a secret one, only members of the Conference Committees being admitted.

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About 10 o'clock it was decided to appoint a sub-committee to draw up resolutions to be presented to the alliance meeting this morning. The committee appointed was composed of Messrs. Page of Virginia, Patty of Mississippi, Sprague of Minnesotta and Powers of Nebraska. Mr. Sprague was made Chairman.

This morning at \$30 o'clock the sub-committee met in Mr. Sprague's room, No. 409, and at once commenced the work of draughting resolutions for the proposed consolidation. Mr. Sprague requested to be permitted speaks few words to the committee and he was admitted to the room although others were not permitted to enter.

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An ALLIANCE MAN'S OPINION.

Mr. Clowse of the alliance was interviewed this morning by a POST-DISPATCH reporter on the question of consolidating.

"The idea, as near as I can give it to you, is this. Here is the plan in a nutshell. The committee will draw up a series of resolutions, the substance of which will be as follows: The Farmers' Alliance will consolidate with the Farmers and Laborers' Union when two-thirds of the number of States represented by alliances agree to do so. The reason that definite action is not taken now by the delegates, that is, why they don't vote either for or against it, is because of their limited power. They only have the power to suggest things to the alliances represented by them. When this new constitution, which will be drawn up by the delegates here before adjourning, is ratified by two-thirds of the States having alliances, then the consolidation will be effected. There are only nine States in question, and five of them have already expressed a wish to join the Farmers and Laborers' Union. We only want one more State and we may get this before adjourning from St. Louis. The delegates here all want a consolidation, but have not the requisite power.

"The alliance will probably elect new officers to continue the work, but this will be only temporary. The two organizations will undoubtediy be consolidated before a month."

AT THE EXPOSITION.

About fifty members of the Farmers and Laborers' Union were present at the meeting in Entertainment Hall this morning. There was no work which could be done until the committees reported, so the time was taken up in speech making. Every ante-room was occupied by a committee, and they were trying to get their reports prepared for the afternoom meeting.

The annual reports of the National Treasurer and Secretary will probably be read tomorrow.

Last evening a reasting the former and the committees are the committees.

morrow.

Last evening a meeting was held in room 10, Hurst's Hotel, by the business agents of the Farmers and Laborers' Union. It was decided to have the headquarters of the business agents in New York so as to facilitate the gathering of reports and statistics. Mr. J. B. Dines of Missouri was elected Fresident and Mr. Oswalu Wilson of New York, Secretary.

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POOR OLD CHICAGO.

AN APPRAL FOR AID RECEIVED BY MAYOR NOONAN.

The Man in Charge of the Garbage Removal Does Not Knew What to Do-The People's Road Trouble-The B. P. I. Will Kiss and Make Up-Firemen to Get Twenty-Four Hours Off-Municipal Mat-

There is a very unfortunate man in Chicago. and he has in the last extreme appealed to the Mayor of St. Louis for aid. It won't do him much good, because his case is hopeless. The poor unfortunate is floundering in a sea of trouble-and garbage-from which no earthly power can save him. Mayor Noonan when he read the following letter:

when he read the following letter:

CHICAGO, Dec. 3, 1889.

To the Maijor of St. Louis, Mo.:

DEAR SHR—Having been assigned the duty of formulating a plan for the disposal of garbage, ashes and street sweepings in this city, I should be pleased to receive as detailed information as possible of the methods in use in your city for the disposal of these materials, together with the address of any company in your city engaged in the reduction of garbage, etc., to fertilizers. Please send me a copy of your last annual report and coling.

FREMONT HILL, Ass't Engineer.

After reading it a second time he murmered:

"Poor man! Just think of the task impossed."

'Poor man! Just think of the task imposed on him by that unfeeling city. I see no help for him. The only way Chicago can get rid of its garbage is to move the town away from it, or, perhaps, set aside certain streets where the garbage can all be put and then start cabbage gardens. Take it any way at all it is fearful job and I fear the man will be compelled to resign."

Street Commissioner Burnet, who was

present, said: "Perhaps Col. Jim Hardy. ur City Collector, can give them some information." The Mayor fell in with the sugestion, and Mr. Hardy will be requested to give such information as he can. The Mayor will send his annual report and every effort will be made to help the unfortunate man who has the painful delusion that Chicago ever can be cleaned.

Mayor Noonan this morning fell into line on the firemen's holiday question and now each fireman when he takes his day off will have literally a day and not sixteen hours as heretofore. The Municipal Assembly passed a
concurrent resolution instructing the Chief
to give every fireman a day off, to be twentyfour hours long land not sixteen. The Mayor
approved the resolution this morning and
now everything will go nicely. Mayor Noonan
said to-day: "I do not see how such a system has become a practice. I cannot understand how it originated, but finevertheless it is a generally acknowledged
fact that when men are given a holiday they
should be given a day, and twenty-four hours
is the only length of time recognized as a day
in law or anywhere eise."

The new system will go into effect as soon
as the Chief can make up his schedule. iterally a day and not sixteen hours as here

Another petition on the subject of the Peo ple's road Park avenue tracks, was filed with the Mayor this morning. It represents the anti-Park avenue element, and the signers anti-Park avenue element, and the signers are all residents of that portion of the street facing directly on Lafayette Park, between Missouri avenue and Mississippi avenue. Among the names on the patition are Jarome Hill, Chas. F. Orthwein, F. W. Judson, Edward Prectorius and others of equal prominence in the city. These gentleman claim that there are already tracks on two sides of Lafayette Park, and that it would detract from the beauty and value of their holdings to have a street car line running between their residences and the most beautiful park in the city. They urgs further that the methods being adopted to retain possession of the street, on the part of the railroad company are not just nor proper. just nor proper.

Mayor Noonan consulted with City Counsellor Bell and Street Commissioner Burne on the subject of remying the track at case and then allowing the company, if it so do

OPENS TO-MORRO At 8 A. M.

On account of a breakage in electric light causing all our lights to go out last night, we are unable to open till

FRIDAY MORNING at 8 A. M.

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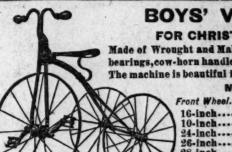
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that they will support the weight of a full-grown man. SEND FOR CATALOGUE. Boys' and Cirls' Safety Bicycles.

E. C. MEACHAM ARMS CO., St. Louis, Mo. sired, to go about getting a right of way in the usual manner. It was finally decided to hold a meeting in the Mayor's office on Saturday, at 11 o'clock, to talk the thing over at that meeting. Four interests will be represented, the city by the Mayor, the City Counselor and the Street Commissioner; the People's Road by the President, Uharles Green; the residents who desire the tracks, by Paul Blerman and two others, and those who not want the road to go out Park avenue, by Edward Preetorius, Jr., and two others.

The B. P. I. Still Chilly. recent misunderstandings, and most of those in the mess are still pouting about their petty in the mess are still pouting about their petty grievences and brooding over their alleged wrongs until in their eyes they have assumed a magnitude entirely disproportionate to their importance. As yes, however, the wheels of public improvements have not been clogged by any of these troubles and the results will not appear until to-morrow when the board will hold its regular meeting there it is expected that each member with a grievance will say his little say and the once harmonious circle of brilliant intellects will be restored again to its normal condition in time for a general pacification during the holidays. There is a peace-maker at work, a man who has long been connected with city affairs and who has the privilege of lecturing when the occasion

Milk Inspection.

On Monday next Mayor Noonan and a mem ber of the Board of Police Commissioners will consult with the Health Department upon the subject of milk inspection which is now in a rather unmanageable condition, owing to the fact of the existence of State and city laws upon the subject which conflict in many particulars. The conference was to be held to-day, but the Police Commissioners could not get around so the matter was postponed.

ktrauss's photos are the best.

Messrs. Higdon & Higdon, patent lawyers and solicitors of patents, room 15, southwest corner Eighth and Olive streets, St. Louis,

corner Eighth and Olive streets, St. Louis, and room 7, St. Cloud building, opposite United States Patent-office, Washington, D. D., report the following list of patents allowed during the past week:

Coin holder—F. R. Bigler, Kansas City.
Fare register—Robert Clarke, Kansas City.
Harrow-tooth—R. G. Culbertson, Hale.
Horse-boot—Michael Debatin, St. Louis.
Vehicle spoke—J. F. Feldman, Cole Camp.
Hydraulic cylinder lubricator—J. G. Gracey, St. Louis.
Cotton harvester—C. E. Graves, Kansas

Dity.

Barber's chair register—J. H. Jackson,
Eldorado Springs. Shaving paper holder-J. H. Vickars, Mont-

Clasp-R. H. Waters, Waterford.

THE STOCK BROKERS. The Market a Professional One-Favorites

Among the Stocks-Features Wall street gossip received by the Gaylord-Blessing private wire. From New York, 9 a. m .- The business in stocks, brokers say, is growing narrower, and is now almost professional. At the same time old and successful traders tell friends there are a number of stocks which are doubtand even if they don't respond and advance right away, there will be no loss in picking them up now, while they are duil and quiet. There is talk of a big buil pool in Northwestern common. Chicago is bullish on the grangers, and there is a good deal of confuence expressed in Chicago, Burlington & Quincy as a purchase. Also Union Pacific and Northern Pacific preferred. When the market turns these stocks seem to be the favorites.

From New York, 10:45 a. m.—The St. ILouis & aSan Francisco general mortgages, 6s, have just sold at 1124. The last previous sale was at 1184.

From New York, lp. m.—The market has not been active, but in some particulars exceedingly weak, Rock Island and Chicago & Eastern Illinois especially so. These stocks have declined sharply on small dealings, neither of them apparently having any good support. Chicago & Eastern Illinois has made application to the Stock Exchange to list 10,000 shares common treasury stock, which it has sold, and rumor asserts that the Rock Island has sold about \$4,000,000 its stock, which it held in the treasury. Western stocks, as a rule, were strong during the first hour, but subsequently weakened under the influence of the decline, in the stocks named. Coal stocks are dull and firm at a little better than last night's prices, but New England continues the weakness which it showed yesterday, failing 1 per cent. Money has loaned at 6 and 7 per cent. Market at this hour is very active and undecided.

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TEXAS TOPICS. Suiside-Arrested for Robbery-On Trial for

ger, 65 years of age, committed suicide by hanging herself to a door hinge. She stood on a table, and after knotting a handkerchief around her neck and over the hinge, kicked the table away. She is the mother of one of

rested here on suspicion of being the man who robbed the Mechanics' Bank as Fort Worth. Six thousand dollars of newly coined money was stolen and Reilly was found with \$1,800 of the same mintage of coin in his pos-session.

Eagle Pass, Dec. 5.—Richard Duncan was on trial to-day for the murder of Naomi Williamson, Larena Holmes and Buelah and Ben Williamson, who were killed by Duncan and a companion in San Saba County, Texas, last January.

PARIS, Dec. 5.—An unsuccessful attempt was made by Deputy Sheriff Caston and posse to capture Andy White, a negro desperado. His house was surrounded and the man shot, but he resturned the dire and succeeded in reaching the words and gatting away.